

NO LESSENING OF TENSION IN CRISIS

President intends to Proceed Carefully and Deliberately

MUST CLEAR TWO POINTS

Wilson Promises Action as Soon as Full Facts in Persia Disaster Can Be Learned

SEEK MORE INFORMATION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—There was no lessening of the tension in the new submarine crisis today with President Wilson's return to the white house to take personal charge of the situation, but there were marked indications of the president's intention to proceed carefully and deliberately before committing the United States to the next step in its already strained relations with the Teutonic powers.

Hope for Amicable Settlement.
At the state department the hope was expressed that there would be opportunity to settle the crisis amicably and it was stated that the American government believed that Austria's assurances on the Ancona note were given in good faith.

Two points, it was emphasized, must be cleared up before the next move is made. It must be established whether the British liner Persia actually was torpedoed, and if so, what was the nationality of the submarine. President Wilson's first act on his return was to issue a statement through Secretary Tamm, promising the country action just as soon as the full facts in the Persia disaster can be learned.

"The president and the secretary of state are taking every means possible to obtain the full facts in this grave matter and will act just as soon as the information is obtained," said the official statement issued at the white house.

To Secure Affidavits.
The president's second step was to direct Secretary Lansing to gather more information from the Persia survivors. The secretary ordered the consuls at Alexandria, Malta and Cairo to obtain affidavits and at once cable summaries of their contents.

Until that information is obtained, or until Ambassador Penfield reports some result from his inquiry to the Austrian government, the situation so far as can be seen tonight, will be at a standstill.

Meanwhile, however, there is discussion of what steps the United States might take to make clear to the central power belligerents and allies the extent to which it expects to hold them responsible for submarine operations in violation of international law, be they conducted by Germans, Austrians, Turks or Bulgarians.

Austria's plea that she knew nothing official of the outcome of the submarine controversy with Germany is recalled by one set of officials, who favor taking action which might forestall a similar plea by the other allies when the United States has finished with Austria. Something definite along that line probably will be developed soon.

Deliver Copies of Correspondence.

It was disclosed today that the United States had already delivered to the American diplomatic representatives in Turkey and Bulgaria and to the Turkish and Bulgarian diplomats here copies of the submarine correspondence with Germany. This is taken as an indication that they will be kept informed of future developments.

The latest developments of the crisis for the first time brought the president into conference with the heads of the congressional committees which deal with foreign relations and disclosed that they are to be informed of the coming steps.

Approval of this course was expressed by senators and representatives who all along have been wanting to be taken into the president's confidence without the formality of resolutions. It was indicated as possible that before any drastic step was taken the president might address congress in person, laying bare all the facts and steps in the long controversy.

Uneasy Over Prospect of Attack.
Administration leaders were uneasy today over the prospect of an opposition attack in the senate on the administration policy, but that fear was relieved when the senate, after being in session ten minutes, adjourned in respect to the memory of the late Justice Lamar.

The house showed no uneasiness and the day which had begun with forebodings passed off without speechmaking, which the administration feared might further inflame the public mind.

An indication of the administration's intention to proceed cautiously was seen in the indefinite postponement of tomorrow's meeting of the senate foreign relations committee, where the situation would have been discussed.

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MATIN AFFIRMS KAISER HAS CANCER OF THROAT

PARIS PAPER ASSERTS EMPEROR IS NOT ABLE TO SPEAK

Declares German Emperor Must Either Have Larynx Completely Removed or Be Stilled by Growth.

Paris, Jan. 4.—The Matin affirms notwithstanding denials that the German emperor is suffering from cancer of the throat and is no longer able to speak.

"In February, 1911," according to the Matin, "the doctors were considering whether it was necessary to remove the entire larynx in order to stay the progress of the disease. They raised the question as to whether the emperor would be able to speak if such an operation were performed. The leading specialists of every capital in Europe were consulted. It was learned that an eminent surgeon of Paris had, with an artificial larynx and a breathing tube opening into the trachea, restored the power of speech to cancerous patients who had undergone total ablation of the affected organs."

"This doctor, whose name the Matin withholds for reasons, was asked by the German ambassador to go to Berlin. He was offered 100,000 francs and all his expenses and was requested to bring with him a patient who had been fitted with the apparatus so that the emperor himself might see if he was able to speak."

"Meanwhile as the result of a minor operation and a few weeks rest the emperor's condition improved as often is the case in this disease the progress of which is implacable, but slow. It is another operation of this kind which has just been performed. But it is only palliative."

"The German emperor must make up his mind to complete removal of the larynx or be stilled by the growth."

"This explains why the emperor went neither to Warsaw, Constantinople, nor Brussels."

BAILEY IS CHOSEN HEAD OF STATE HOTEL CLERKS' ASSOCIATION

Major Vickery is Named Vice-President and Ben Miller a Member of Board of Governors.

Decatur, Ill., Jan. 4.—James C. Bailey of Peoria was elected president of the Illinois Hotel Clerks' association in the closing session of the two day annual convention here today. Champaign was selected as the next convention city.

Other officers elected follow: First vice president—Major John A. Vickery, Jacksonville. Second vice president—Charles Cravens, East St. Louis. Secretary-treasurer—P. C. Walhor, Quincy.

Sergeant at arms—Harry Jacobs, Springfield.

Chairman board of governors—George T. Thompson, Peoria.

Board of governors—David W. Clark, Lincoln; Thomas H. Page, Springfield; Ben D. Miller, Jacksonville; Luther H. Taylor, Decatur.

Delegates to national convention in Salt Lake City in May—David W. Clark, Lincoln; Carl Lutz, Decatur; L. J. Mulhern, Galesburg; H. C. Walhor, Quincy; and Charles Cravens, East St. Louis.

RAILROADS PROTEST AGAINST ORDER OF LIVE STOCK BOARD

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 4.—Illinois railroads, in a hearing begun here today before the state public utilities commission, brought protest against the order of the state board of livestock commissioners that all stock cars be cleaned at their destination as a precaution against the spread of the hoof and mouth disease.

The hearing is the result of a petition for relief filed by livestock shippers, who declare the railroads have assessed them from \$2.50 to \$4.00 each to clean cars.

WEEGHMAN LEAVES FOR CINCINNATI

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Charles Weeghman left tonight for Cincinnati, after communicating by telephone with some one in that city.

"No developments of any news importance," he said, after hanging up the receiver. "I am going to Cincinnati on the next train. Possibility of a slip in my negotiations for the Cubs? Why, I think there isn't a chance now for a hitch. The Cubs are mine,—all but the formality of transfer."

INTRODUCES RESOLUTION.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Representative Steenerson, Republican, of Minnesota, introduced a resolution today aimed at British interferences with American trade with European neutrals. It proposes to empower the president to prohibit export of war munitions to any belligerent controlling the seas and preventing exports of food or food products from the United States.

STEPHEN H. BLACK DIES.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Stephen H. Black, one of the organizers of Bauer & Black, manufacturers of druggists' supplies, died today at his home of apoplexy. He was born in Davenport, Ia., in 1861 and established a drug store in Chicago, Ill., in 1876. In 1880 he opened a wholesale drug business in Omaha and two years later moved its headquarters to Chicago.

WILL CONSIDER REQUESTS FURTHER

Dunne is Urged to Include Revision of Primary Law in Call

WANT STATE BOND ISSUE

Coming Call Will Request Assembly to Authorize Issue for Road Improvement

VISITS TWO INSTITUTIONS

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—Governor Dunne said today he will give further consideration to requests that he include revision of the primary election law in his forthcoming call for a special session of the legislature next week.

He made this statement to State Representatives Igou of Chicago and Ellis of Kane county, who called upon him and urged him to do so.

Hitherto the governor has held that this question is already before the legislature by reason of the call for the special session which met before the holidays and adjourned to February 23rd, without taking action on the primary law.

Whether to put it in the new call would or would not be superfluous was the point which the governor said he would give further consideration. It is held by many that the great cost of primaries, especially in Chicago, can be reduced materially by combining some of them.

Governor Dunne announced here today that he would include in his coming call a request that the general assembly authorize a state bond issue for road improvement, and it is expected that additional relief for stock raisers affected by the foot and mouth disease, authorization of the Cook county good road bond issue already voted for in that balliwick and appropriation for the Illinois Centennial commission will be included in the message.

After inspection of the Illinois Charity Eye and Ear Infirmary here today, Governor Dunne said that either he will appoint or will ask the legislature to appoint a commission for the investigation of trachoma, the infirmity suffering from the disease and was informed that it is contagious, frequently results in blindness and that it is prevalent in southern Illinois.

Later the governor visited the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind and the insane asylum at Dunning. In the evening the governor and Mrs. Dunne were given a reception at the Chicago State hospital. Tomorrow accompanied by Mrs. Dunne, the governor will visit the Geneva School for Girls, the St. Charles Home for Boys and the Elgin State hospital.

FUNERAL OF JUSTICE LAMAR WILL BE HELD TODAY AT AUGUSTA

Large Delegation Will Meet Body at Train—President Has Not Taken up Selection of a Successor.

Augusta, Ga., Jan. 4.—The funeral of Associate Justice Joseph Rucker Lamar, of the United States supreme court, who died Sunday in Washington, will be held at the First Christian church here at 9:30 tomorrow morning. The body will be met at the train on its arrival from Washington by the entire membership of the Augusta Bar association of which Justice Lamar for many years was a member; the state supreme court and representatives of the state bar association.

Has Not Taken up Matter.
Washington, Jan. 4.—President Wilson was so engrossed today with consideration of the international situation that he found no time to take up the selection of a successor to the late Associate Justice Lamar.

The list of men discussed as eligible in congressional and official circles continued to grow. The fact that Chief Justice White and Justice McKenna and Holmes are eligible for retirement has added to the list of possible candidates, altho none of the three has indicated an intention to retire.

DECLINES TO PERMIT SPEECHES.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Secretary Daniels disclosed today that he had declined to permit either Rear-Admiral Fiske or Rear-Admiral Knight to speak on the navy program, even though he was assured that the proposed addresses would not be made public. The request for the addresses was made by John W. Scott, president of the Commercial Club of Chicago, by telegraph to President Wilson.

CHARLES CHRISTIE DEAD.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 4.—Charles Christie, widely known throughout the southwest as an independent grain and stock broker, died here today after a long illness. He was 56 years old. At one time Christie was said to be the largest independent broker operating in Kansas City.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—Orson Smith, president of the Merchants' Loan & Trust company, one of Chicago's largest banks today announced he would retire Feb. 1st, from active charge of the institution. He will be succeeded by Edmund D. Hulbert, first vice president.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Iowa, Jan. 4.—All business houses and schools in the city will close at noon Thursday out of respect for General Grenville Dodge, soldier and railroad builder, who died yesterday. The funeral services will be held at one o'clock Thursday afternoon.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Rear-Admiral Caperton, commanding the American forces in Haiti, notified the navy department today that conditions throughout the island republic were much improved.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—The supreme court was asked today to pass on the question of whether the failure in southern states to select negroes for jury duty thus denying to negroes accused of criminal acts their constitutional rights was according to law.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Issue of postal money orders to Serbia has been discontinued indefinitely, it was announced today on account of the suspension of relations with Serbia by the postal administration of Switzerland, which heretofore has served as intermediary.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 4.—The will of the late Thomas L. Shevlin, former Yale football star, who died here last week after a brief illness, was filed for probate today. The entire estate, the estimated value of which is \$3,500,000, is left to the widow and two children.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—George J. Gould began suit today in the New York supreme court against the Texas and Pacific Railroad company to recover \$1,741,000, a promissory note held by George J. Howard and Edwin Gould and Helen Gould Sheppard, as executors of the estate of their father, Jay Gould, deceased.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—General Henry Lawrence Burnett, one of the prosecutors of the assassins of President Lincoln, died at his home here today.

BOSTON, Jan. 4.—Theophilus Parsons, 66, president of the Ameskeag Manufacturing company and widely known in the cotton manufacturing industry, died at his home in this city today.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—William H. Coverdale and George W. Morgan, who today appointed receivers of the Auto Sales Company and Chocolate Company by Federal Judge Mayer in an equity suit brought by George W. Holloway and the mutual candy company.

DES MOINES, Jan. 4.—Arrangements were being made today for the funeral of Dr. Thomas F. Kelleher, prominent in Iowa Medical circles, who died at his home here last night. He was 61 years old and had been ill for several months.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 4.—A gift of property valued at \$160,000 to Grinnell College, Grinnell, Ia., was announced today. The donor was Dr. LeRoy Dibble. The income from the sale or lease of the property is to be used in establishing free scholarships.

ATLANTA VOTES TODAY TO RECALL MAYOR AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 4.—Atlanta will vote at a special election tomorrow to decide whether Mayor James G. Woodward and five members of the board of police commissioners shall be recalled. More than 12,000 voters have registered. The campaign for recall was started as a result of the police board reducing Chief of Police James L. Beavers to a captaincy because, the commissioners said, he was following the orders of so-called reformers instead of the instructions issued by the board.

HEALTH COMMISSIONER WARNS CHICAGOANS TO VENTILATE

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—"Ventilate—don't hibernate," was the warning given Chicagoans today by Dr. John Dill Robertson, health commissioner, as a result of the epidemic of grippe, which has attacked thousands of persons in this city. There were 395 deaths caused by pneumonia here last week.

"Keep windows open in bedrooms and remain out of doors as much as possible," the warning continues. "Fresh air kills germs that may kill you."

INTRODUCE HUNDREDS OF BILLS

Washington, Jan. 4.—Hundreds of measures introduced today included bills or resolutions to extend the thanks of congress to Henry Ford for his peace mission; to prevent clearance from American ports of ships carrying both passengers and munitions of war; to establish a United States commission for enduring peace which might act as intermediary between warring nations, and to ask President Wilson for names of disloyal naturalized citizens referred to in the president's last message to congress.

RUSS ON OFFENSIVE IN EAST GALICIA

Most Important Fighting Is In Progress Around Czernowitz

RUSSIANS LOSE HEAVILY

Vienna Reports That in One Sector 2,300 Russian Dead Were Counted

CAPTURE ITALIAN TRENCH

Everywhere in the Stripa and Volhynian districts of Russia and in East Galicia the Russians are on the offensive, the official communications from both Petrograd and Vienna reveal. Czernowitz, capital of Bukovina, is now the position around which the most important fighting is in progress. The Russian war office reports that the Russians have occupied a line of trenches northeast of Czernowitz and have repulsed strong counter-attacks. A Reuter despatch from Petrograd gives a report of the evacuation of Czernowitz and the capture by the Russians of a large number of prisoners, including Germans. There has been a strong advance by the Russians on this front, altho Vienna says that the Russian attacks have been unsuccessful and that their losses have been appalling, in one sector six miles in width, 2,300 Russian dead having been counted.

On none of the other fronts has any change of importance taken place. The Austrians have captured an Italian trench near Tolmino and the Montenegrins have recaptured Bogievac from the Austrians, inflicting on them severe losses.

Unofficial advices from Athens report 30,000 Bulgarians as having reached the region of Tirana northwest of Elbasan in Albania and that Albanian irregulars, commanded by Bulgarian officers, have exchanged shots with the Italian outposts near Durazzo on the Adriatic.

It is asserted that there are 100,000 Serbs now in Albania, who will soon be ready to re-enter the fray. Out of 5,511,441 men of military age in England, Scotland and Wales, 2,829,263 were tested, enlisted or rejected under the Earl of Derby's recruiting scheme, leaving 2,612,000 who did not come forward and offer their services.

Of the men who did come forward 428,853 were rejected by the recruiting officers. Sir Edward Grey, the British secretary of foreign affairs, in answering the complaint of Germany respecting the destruction last August of a German submarine and the killing of the crew by the British auxiliary cruiser Caradoc, offers to submit this and similar cases to officers of the United States navy or any imperial tribunal.

While President Wilson has returned to Washington and taken personal charge of the situation created by the sinking of the steamer Persia, the situation for the present is at a standstill, as no action will be taken until the full facts, as far as they can be obtained, are in the hands of the government.

CUNNINGHAM IS ORDERED RELEASED AFTER INQUEST

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—James Cunningham, Jr., the 25-year-old son of an instructor in the Bowen high school, was ordered released from police custody today as the result of an inquest into the death of Jack Wedlake, who was murdered a month ago.

Cunningham testified that his revolver, which was found near the body, had been sold to a man he did not know two weeks before the murder, and he accounted for his whereabouts on the night of the killing after separating from Wedlake.

QUOTES TAFT AND WICKERSHAM

New York, Jan. 4.—"The solemn judgment" of William H. Taft, while president and of his attorney general, George W. Wickersham, that there had been no violation of the Sherman law by the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, was presented to the jury today at the trial of the eleven former directors of the road, as a reason why the defendants should be declared innocent.

NOTE WAS COUCHED IN SHARPER TERMS.

Paris, Jan. 4.—The Petit Parisien asserts that a note which M. Romanos, Greek minister to France, handed to Premier Briand, protesting against the arrest of the German and other consuls at Saloniki as a violation of Greece's neutrality, had been couched in much sharper terms than the Greek complaints to Berlin and Vienna regarding the Teutonic aerial raid on Saloniki.

MISS GOGGIN IS KILLED.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Miss Catherine Goggin, financial secretary of the Chicago Teachers Federation, was accidentally killed by an auto truck tonight. Miss Goggin attained prominence in legislative and other campaigns for the benefit of teachers.

CHARGE PLOT TO BEAT INSURANCE COMPANIES

MAN INDICTED ON ARSON CHARGE IS TAKEN TO LOS ANGELES

Young Man is Accused of Having Burned Railroad Station at Lufkin, Texas, in Plan to Collect Life Insurance Amounting to \$50,000.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 4.—George Frank Parsons, 21 years old, under indictment at Lufkin, Texas, on a charge of arson, in connection with the destruction of the railroad station there at which he was employed as agent, was brought to jail here today from Palmdale, Calif., where he was arrested.

According to E. J. Mantooth, an attorney of Lufkin, Texas, who aided sheriff's officials in finding Parsons, the burning of the railroad station on March 2, 1913, was part of a plan to defraud insurance companies of sums amounting to about \$50,000 on policies on Parsons' life.

According to information here a body was found in the ruins of the burned railroad station where Parsons was employed as ticket agent, and this was identified as the remains of a human being, tho later it was discovered that it was the carcass of a lower animal. Before this discovery was made it is alleged about \$9,000 had been paid to Mrs. Lena Parsons, the railroad agent's stepmother.

MRS. WILSON TAKES UP DUTIES AS MISTRESS OF WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Mrs. Woodrow Wilson took up her duties today as mistress of the white house. Soon after her arrival at the president from their honeymoon at Hot Springs, Va., she was busy with arrangements for the social season, which opens Friday night with the Pan-American reception in the blue room.

The state department's list was sent to the white house during the day. It will be gone over carefully by the President and Mrs. Wilson before it is made public or invitations are issued.

PETITION IS DENIED.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—An attack on the Chicago board of underwriters in the form of a petition to bring an annulment proceedings against it was denied today by Judge Taylor in the circuit court. The petition which was filed in the name of the state's attorney of Cook county in behalf of Rufus Potts, state superintendent of insurance set forth that the board of underwriters fixed the fire insurance rates in Chicago.

WANT TO EXTEND BOUNDARIES.

Phoenix, Ariz., Jan. 4.—A movement launched by various commercial organizations of the state to secure the annexation, virtually by purchase of sufficient land from Mexico to extend the boundary of Arizona and California to the Gulf of Mexico has been furthered by Governor George W. P. Hunt, who announced today he had written to Governor Hiram W. Johnson of California, asking co-operation.

HEARINGS BEGIN TODAY.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Hearings on the administration of a national defense program will begin tomorrow when the house naval committee takes up the annual naval appropriation bill. The first subject for consideration will be requirements of government yards and docks, concerning which Rear-Admiral Stanford, chief of the bureau of yards and docks, will be examined.

CROWDS PACK CORRIDORS.

Minneapolis, Jan. 4.—Crowds packed the corridors about the district court room where Frederick T. Price was placed on trial today for the murder of his wife, Mary Fridley Price, member of a wealthy Minnesota family. When court adjourned today it was believed the jury boxes would be filled before adjournment tomorrow.

MILITARY HEADS ARE WILLING TO JOIN

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Special dispatches to the Tribune tonight indicate that the military heads are willing to join with Senator Chamberlain's plan to concentrate military forces. Adjutant generals of twenty-five states are to state their attitude toward the project. Eleven have answered favorably.

WILL NOT BE PRESENT AT ELECTROCUTION.

Ossining, N. Y., Jan. 4.—Warden Kirehew, of Sing Sing prison will not be present at an electrocution, which is to take place Friday, he announced today, after he had gone over the law governing duties of a warden and found that if sick or disabled the head of a prison was not compelled to attend an execution.

HOUD SECTIONAL MEETINGS

Washington, Jan. 4.—Members of the Pan American Scientific Congress devoted their time today to sectional meetings no joint session being held. Scores of papers most of them on technical subjects, were read.

FAVOR AGREEMENTS.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Commercial organizations throughout the country, composing the chamber of commerce of the United States, have voted overwhelmingly at a referendum just completed, in favor of international agreements designed to prevent war.

CREW ABANDONS GREEK STEAMER

Wireless Message Is Received in Fragments From the Liner

SHIP PROBABLY SINKING

For Ten Days There Has Been Much Mystery Concerning Disability of Vessel

PATRIS TAKES PASSENGERS

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—A wireless message which came in fragments at 8:35 o'clock tonight from the Greek liner Thessaloniki said that the crew had taken to the life boats.

The manner in which the message was received indicated that the disabled ship, concerning whose movements there has been a mystery for several days, was in serious trouble and probably sinking.

A wireless message received earlier in the evening indicated that the steamer United States which went to the Thessaloniki's aid yesterday, probably was in the vicinity of the disabled Greek liner. Whether the United States reached the Thessaloniki before the boats were lowered could not be ascertained.

The captain and ninety members of the crew were reported to be on board the Thessaloniki. Her passengers, 300 in all, had previously transferred to the Steamer Patris, a sister ship of the same line.

For ten days there has been much mystery concerning the disability of the Greek liner. She has repeatedly sent out distress signals, but vessels have reported she did not give her exact position.

The first S. O. S. sent out by the Thessaloniki was answered by the coast guard cutter Seneca, which searched many hours for the disabled steamer, but failed to find her and put back to port.

The Thessaloniki was known to have suffered from engine trouble and wireless reports were to the effect that her engine room was flooded. Until the Patris reported she was alongside and had taken off the Thessaloniki's passengers, fear was felt for their safety.

GEN. HUERTA IS DECLARED OUT OF IMMEDIATE DANGER

EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 4.—General Victoriano Huerta was declared out of immediate danger late today, following a tapping operation to relieve him of fluid in the intestinal tract, said to be jaundice.

The diagnosis upon which the operations have been performed have not been revealed by the attending physician, altho an opinion by a consulting physician representing Mayor Lea indicated he was suffering from cancer of the gall bladder and possibly hardening of the liver. This opinion was rendered prior to any operation.

CONVEY SUBMARINE IN SECTIONS.

Paris, Jan. 4.—A large German submarine has been conveyed in sections to Budrum Bay in the eastern Mediterranean, according to a Mytilene despatch says L'Ouvre's Athens' correspondent. The despatch adds that twenty German and Austrian bluejackets in command of a detachment are putting the submarine into shape.

GEORGE LAUDER, JR., DEAD.

Greenwich, Conn., Jan. 4.—George Lauder, Jr., a prominent yachtsman whose schooner yacht "Endymion" finished fourth in the trans-Atlantic race in 1905, died at his home here today of pneumonia, aged 37 years.

OLD SAILOR DIES.

Philadelphia, Jan. 4.—William Durst, 76, said to be the sole survivor of the crew of the Monitor, which engaged the Merrimack in the historic battle in Hampton Roads, died at his home here today from pneumonia.

WEATHER FORECAST AND TEMPERATURES.

Illinois—Unsettled and colder weather Wednesday, probably rain in south, rain or snow in north portion, much colder at night; Thursday generally fair and much colder.

Temperatures.		
The current, maximum and minimum temperatures recorded Tuesday were:		
Jacksonville	53	55 26
Boston	39	32 16
Buffalo	42	42 24
New York	34	38 32
New Orleans	60	70
Chicago	45	45
Detroit	42	42
Omaha	48	58
St. Paul	16	38
Helena	10	10
San Francisco	52	52
Winnipeg	10	10



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that are placed in circulation before
the "original" reaches the Journal
office.

Accounts Never Hopeless.

Physicians who have ledgers full
of the record of unpaid bills should
take heart. A St. Louis physician re-
ceived thru the mail the other day
a check for \$116, the balance due
on a bill of twice that amount. The
bill was contracted during an ill-
ness eighteen years ago and the phy-
sician had not heard from his pa-
tient for ten years until the much ap-
preciated check came thru the mail
and revived the physician's belief in
the honesty of humanity.

Fur Business Active.

According to all reports this is
likely to be a record winter for fur-
rers in the north. War conditions
last year had a very unsettling ef-
fect on the fur market and prices drop-
ped so suddenly that not much fur
trading was done. But early this sea-
son, as a result of the prevailing
fashion among women of using fur
in all sorts of ways, the market
jumped up by leaps and bounds
and went past the high point of
last season. Building their ex-
pectations on the hope that women's
taste—which is said to be subject to
change without notice—may favor
fur trimmed garments for another
season, the trappers, both amateur
and professional, are busy this sea-
son and the arrest of pelts is going
to be generous indeed.

Pure Food Articles.

By special arrangement with the
New York Globe, the Jour-
nal begins this morning a series of
pure food articles written by Alfred
W. McCann, who is accounted the
best equipped man in America to be
the standard bearer for the move-
ment for saner foods. Mr. McCann's
opportunities to study the food ques-
tion have given him profound knowl-
edge of the whole problem. His
search, conducted thru a period of
years, has recognized no obstacles,
in the factory, in the laboratory, in
the great markets, and his relentless
search for truth has been fully re-
warded. For the past three years Mr.
McCann's work has been confined to
New York City, where his name has
become a household word. Now his
campaign is being waged in Phila-
delphia also, and his special series
of articles will appear in a number
of papers thruout the country by
special arrangement as above indi-
cated. Readers of the Journal should
not fail to follow these articles for
they will find that they contain the
real gospel of foods.

A Bad Trust Now.

The Standard Oil company has
been often attacked for its methods
of handling competitors, and has
sometimes been praised as a "good
trust," thru the operation of which
useful products were brought to the
people and furnished at prices much
lower than would be possible if the
Standard did not so thoroly control
the situation. This latter opinion
has fallen into disrepute very rapid-

ly in the past three months, owing to
the steadily advancing prices for
petroleum products. In September
gasoline was selling in Jacksonville
at 8 cents a gallon, and yesterday
the quotations were 16 1/2 cents. Pres-
umably the Standard was not losing
money when the retail gasoline price
was 8 cents, and one is led to wonder
what they are now doing with all
this money, with the profit increased
more than a hundred per cent over
the figures which prevailed last fall.
If there has been any increase in the
cost of production during these weeks
the public has not been informed.

The Wet and Dry Fight is
Blossoming.

The wets of Bloomington are cir-
culating petitions asking for another
election upon the local option ques-
tion. Two years ago the saloons
were voted out by a comparatively
small majority and the saloon adver-
saries now declare that they have an
excellent chance for winning. Judged
by the result here and in almost
all other cities where elections on
this question have been held since
the right of suffrage was granted to
women, the saloons haven't a very
good chance of a return to Bloom-
ington. The question of revenue
will be the principal argument ad-
vanced by the wets, and they will
attempt to show how much loss of
business has resulted in Bloomington
because of the absence of saloons.
Here again the facts will be against
them, unless the two years' record in
Bloomington varies from that in
other cities of the same general char-
acter where the saloons have been
put out of business. Anyway, if the
saloons are voted back, the action
will be entirely out of line with the
general tendency thruout the country.

LETTER FROM
SHERIFF WHEELER.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 3, 1916
Editor Jacksonville Journal,
Jacksonville, Illinois.

Dear Sir:

I have noticed in the columns of
your paper that the Republican or-
ganization of Morgan county has en-
dorsed a candidate for Representa-
tive in the General Assembly from
the 45th Senatorial district.

As a republican of Sangamon
county and of the district, will say
that this action meets with my heart-
ly approval. I think the republic-
ans of Morgan county have a per-
fect right to, and should have, a re-
presentative in the General Assem-
bly. I do not remember of Morgan
county being represented since Mr.
Hehl was a member of the General
Assembly.

The difficulty heretofore seems
to have been due to the failure of
the part of the organization (the ac-
credited representatives of the party)
to unite on a single man. I am
informed that at the present time
the organization has united on a
candidate.

Yours truly,

J. A. Wheeler.

STILL ANOTHER CRISIS.

There is every indication, from
the despatches, that the situation
resulting from the sinking of the
steamer Persia in the Mediterranean
and the loss of life of an American
consul is very serious. Nevertheless,
so many serious situations have ap-
peared in the last few months and
have been so satisfactorily passed
thru on account of the explanations
and apologies forthcoming from Eu-
ropean nations that the public is a

Rippling Rhymes
By WALT MASON

CHILDISH JOYS.

As I went forth, on my toes, a snow-
ball hit me on the nose, and knock-
ed that organ out
of place, a-spread-



ing it all over my
face. "My blessing
on the merry
boys", I cried,
"and on their
harmless joys! I'd
gladly sacrifice a
nose, out here
among the virgin
snows, to see the
children glad and
gay, as I was on a bygone day. If I
had noses by the score, I'd
see them all bunged up and sore, if
that would make the children glad,
and this gray world less grim and
sad." And while I spoke these
words of cheer, a snowball hit me in
the ear. It jarred my spinal column
loose, and added all my vital juice.
I leaned against a fence and said,
"What though that snowball split
my head? Some boy was filled with
utter glee, when he let drive that
shot at me, and if my ruined dome
of thought, some comfort to a kid
has brought, it surely does not ache
in vain; not futile is its grist of
pain." And as I feebly tottered by,
a snowball hit me in the eye.

DATES IN ILLINOIS HISTORY.

Jan. 5, 1782—All authorized law in
Illinois came to an end, as the
Virginia legislature adjourned
without re-enacting the expired
statute which provided for the
government of Illinois as a coun-
ty of Virginia.

little slow to believe that in the pre-
sent instance affairs are any darker
than has been true before.

But the loss of an American who
was on his way to take up his work
in the consular service in itself adds
to the flagrancy of the violation of
custom and gives the offense the ap-
pearance of an utter disregard of
previous apologies and agreements
made to this government. The iden-
tity of the submarine which destroy-
ed the Persia without warning has
not yet been determined, tho it has
been assumed that the vessel be-
longed to either Austria or Germany.
If this proves true, these govern-
ments seem very much in the position
of going thru the motions of apolo-
gizing to the United States, giving
punishment to offending submarine
commanders and then turning to
their own people, "winking the other
eye," and proceeding to do just as
has been done before.

The events of recent weeks give
color to the theory that the cessation
of submarine hostilities in the North
Sea was largely because the English
either captured submarines or dis-
covered ways of making their opera-
tion ineffective, and because of this
situation, the point of submarine at-
tack was changed to the Mediter-
ranean. Col. George Harvey, who
recently returned from a study of
war conditions in Europe, in com-
menting upon this last happening,
expressed the view that a break be-
tween the United States and Germany
or Austria is very near. He believes
that when the identity of the sub-
marine that attacked the Persia is
known, that the flagrancy of the
offense has been so well established
that no course will be left other than
a severance of diplomatic relations.

President Wilson is likely to call
a cabinet meeting today to lay before
the members of the cabinet all of the
facts he has at hand, and the gravity
of the whole situation is such that
the program outlined for congress
work this week has been thrown
clear out of joint. If a more tense
situation does result and if a sever-
ance of diplomatic relations does
come, the effect will certainly be to
increase and crystallize the rapidly
growing sentiment in favor of mili-
tary and naval preparedness. In a
year's time there has been a mar-
velous development in the public mind
along this line, and many members
of congress have had reason to shift
from their former positions as they
themselves have come to view the
matter in a different light or have
been influenced by the known views
of their constituents.

The advocates of an extreme de-
gree of preparedness hope to see the
time within ten years when the U. S.
has a navy twice the strength of any
other power save England, and an
available military force ten times
that now available. Even the ex-
tremists figure that there is no pres-
ent day danger of attack by a "foreign
power, for they believe that even if
the war were to end soon, that the
nations taking part in the conflict
would find themselves so exhausted
in money and forces that they would
not be in position for years to come
to undertake any aggressive cam-
paign against this country even if
they so desired.

Read about WIDMAYER'S "Meat
Specials" on Page Seven.

WINCHESTER.

Charles Day of Alsey was a visitor
here Monday.

Yesterday C. E. Rochester returned
to his home in Winchester after a
visit of a week in Manchester.

J. C. Neat and George Hieronymus
were St. Louis visitors Monday.

Miss Louise Leach has returned
from Pisgah, where she attended a
house party at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. A. E. Curry.

William Howard is quite sick at
his home in the south part of town.
Miss Bertha Munze has returned
to Springfield and Miss Freda Munze
to Lincoln after a stay at their home
in Winchester.

Mrs. George Wills and Miss Ieatha
Ross of Alsey were visitors here the
first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Frost were pas-
sengers for St. Louis Tuesday after-
noon.

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MATRIMONIAL

Hoelich-Bradford.
Miss Mildred Mae Bradford of
Waverly and Robert Nelson Hoelich
of Maysville, Ky., were married at
the home of the bride's mother, Mrs.
George D. Bradford, in Waverly on
New Year's evening. The ceremony
was said in the presence of only the
intimate friends and relatives of the
contracting parties by the Rev. F. S.
Hayden of this city. The bride wore
a beautiful white gown and bridal
veil and carried a bouquet of white
roses. Following the ceremony a
wedding dinner was served.

The bride is the youngest daughter
of Mrs. George D. Bradford and was
born and reared in Waverly, where
she has a large number of friends.
She is a sister of Owen Bradford,
son-in-law of Dr. and Mrs. F. S. Hay-
den of this city. The groom is a
graduate of Yale Scientific school and
of Andover academy of Andover,
Mass. He is instructor of mathe-
matics in the Maysville high school.
The couple left the same day for
Maysville, where they will make their
home. They will be at home to their
friends after Jan. 15, 1916.

JOIN THE Y. M. C. A.

ENGINE OFF TRACK.
While switching at Murrayville
the tender of an Alton freight en-
gine jumped the track, Tuesday af-
ternoon. The engine was on the sid-
ing at the time, but part of the
train was on the main track. The
Alton passenger train, which leaves
here at 3:30 p. m. pushed the cars
on the siding and a wrecker from
Roodhouse put the engine on the
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CITY AND COUNTY

Lawrence Henry of Woodson was a city caller yesterday.
Mrs. Jeff Stockton of Sinclair was a city shopper yesterday.
Jacob Baker has gone to Oakford to visit his brother, Henry.
J. W. Jenkins of Springfield journeyed to the city yesterday.
R. M. Stone helped represent Decatur in the city yesterday.
Henry Deater of Chapin was a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.
Marshall Fanning of Arenzville spent Tuesday in Jacksonville.
W. H. Koegler of Quincy was calling on city friends yesterday.
C. W. Rigg of Hersman was a caller on city friends yesterday.
S. S. Waggoner of Carrollton spent Tuesday in the city on business.
H. W. Bristle of Springfield spent a part of yesterday in the city.
S. E. Watkins of Petersburg was a caller on city friends yesterday.
C. J. Rausch of Kane was a business visitor in the city yesterday.
Mrs. J. H. Dial of Murrayville was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday.
Henry Bingham of Sinclair was a caller yesterday on city friends.
Edward Busby of Sinclair was conversing with city friends yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Crum spent Tuesday with friends in Litchfield.
John B. Connor of Mt. Sterling spent Tuesday in the city on business.
Miss Gaynelle Olinger of Franklin was a visitor in the city yesterday.
R. S. Sanderson of Keokuk, Iowa, spent Tuesday in the city on business.
Edward Pierce of Chicago was a business caller in the city yesterday.
B. H. Smith of Murrayville made a business trip to the city yesterday.
Oscar Seaward of Griggsville was a business visitor in the city yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. Loren Seymour were city visitors yesterday from Woodson.
G. M. Luttrell has gone to Chicago for a business visit of several days.
Edward Rogge of Meredosia was a business visitor in the city yesterday.
E. Eaton of Ashland was among the business men of the city yesterday.
W. F. Rogge of Meredosia was a business visitor in the city yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. King of Peoria were visitors in Jacksonville yesterday.
James Boyd of Alexander was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.
Rev. Mr. Auerbach of Franklin was among the city visitors yesterday.
Harold Humphrey has returned from a visit to his old home in Virginia.
Charles Nergenah of Chapin was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.
Miss Rachel Baird of Bluffs was one of the shoppers in the city yesterday.
Verna Mathew of Exeter was among the pilgrims to the city yesterday.
O. E. Clark of Newton, Ill., was a caller yesterday on Jacksonville friends.

MORTUARY

Williams.
Mrs. J. L. Pine has received a message telling of the death of her sister, Mrs. Charles Williams, Monday night, at her late home nine miles north of Litchfield. She had been ill only a few days and death was due to pneumonia. Mrs. Williams had just nursed her son Roy thru a spell of pneumonia, when she took down with the disease herself. She was 39 years of age and had made that community her home, for some time.
Mrs. Williams' maiden name was Laura McCluskey and she was born in Van Zant county, Tex., and was married twenty years ago. Her father who resides east of Atwater, built the first log house between Springfield and St. Louis, which was the trail people traveled mostly between the two cities. Jacob Strawn, the big dealer in cattle of Morgan county, always made that house his stopping place in going to and from St. Louis.
Besides her husband she leaves the following brothers and sisters, Mrs. J. L. Pine of this city, Mrs. Nettie Porter of Mobile, Alabama; Geo. McCluskey of Baldy, Oklahoma; Robert McCluskey of Windsor, Canada, and another sister, Lizzie, married and residing in Kansas.
Mrs. Pine reached her sister's bedside before she passed away. Mr. Pine will leave this morning to attend the funeral services, which will be held at 11 o'clock today, from the church near that place and burial will be in Honey Bend cemetery.

Ward.
Martin Ward, a long time resident of Morgan county, died Monday evening at his home four miles southeast of Murrayville, at the age of 79 years. He was born in Ireland, but came to this country when a young man. He had always followed the occupation of a farmer. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Daniel Burk and Kate of Murrayville community, and one son, Hugh, of Winchester. His wife died a great many years ago and his daughter Kate kept house for him.
Funeral services will be conducted this morning at 9 o'clock from the St. Bartholomew church in Murrayville, in charge of Rev. Father Flynn. The remains will be taken overland to Winchester, where burial will be made.

Lindsey.
Mrs. R. R. Stevenson of Prospect street, received information yesterday of the death of her aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Lindsey, at Lake Port, California. Death came to Mrs. Lindsey Monday, Dec. 27, at the age of 73. For many years she was a resident of Cass county and is well known there and to many people in this locality, altho she had been living in California for a number of years. She is survived by her husband, Landy Lindsey.

Benson.
Mrs. Sophia Benson for many years a resident of this city died at the home of her son, H. O. Benson at Milford, Ill., Monday evening. Mrs. Benson was suffering from pneumonia and her age, being over 80 years, was against recovery. Mrs. Benson resided here until a few months ago when she went to make her home with her son in Milford. She was a member of Centenary M. E. church and was well known and highly respected in this city. She was the mother of Fred Benson, South Mainvalter street who was at her bedside when she passed away. The remains will be brought here for burial and will arrive on the Wabash this afternoon at 2 o'clock and will be taken to the home of her son, Fred. Friends wishing to view the remains may do so up to noon Thursday. Funeral services will be held from Centenary M. E. church Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Imboden.
Miss Emma Imboden, an inmate of the county farm, died Tuesday morning at 7:30 o'clock, aged 63 years. Deceased was deaf, dumb and blind and had been an inmate of the farm for the past seventeen years. Prior to going to the farm she lived with the Freitag family north of the city. But little is known of her antecedents. The remains were removed to the undertaking parlors of J. G. Reynolds.

No arrangements have as yet been made for the funeral.

McCausland.
A letter to the Journal from F. M. Coard written at Santa Monica, California, tells of the death of John McCausland, a former resident of this city, who went from here to East St. Louis. Subsequently he entered the National soldiers' home at Santa Monica and it was there the end of his life's journey came December 29th. Mr. McCausland was a member of Company H, of the 101st Illinois infantry and is well remembered by many in this locality, especially soldiers who saw service with him in the great war of the Rebellion. Mr. Coard happened to read the notice of Mr. McCausland's death in the Santa Monica paper and attended the funeral.

ELLIOTT STATE BANK
Savings Deposits made during the first ten days of January will bear interest from the FIRST of the month.

PREPARES TO RESUME MINING.
Washington, Jan. 4.—Resumption of mining activities in Mexico on a broad scale is indicated in dispatches today to the State Department. The American Smelting & Refining company of Mexico has purchased ten engines and 165 railroad cars with necessary equipment to provide its own trains, and is preparing to operate its own plants as near to their full capacity as conditions permit.

BRITISH OFFER REWARD.
Paris, Jan. 4.—A despatch to the Havas News Agency from Saloniki under Sunday's date says: "The British authorities have offered a reward of fifty thousand francs for information of the presence of German submarines in the Aegean Sea."

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SOCIAL EVENTS

Riggs Family Reunion Held at Murrayville.

The family of Albert Riggs gathered at the old home in Murrayville Sunday to enjoy a visit and reunion and have a social time generally. A splendid dinner was a feature of the occasion which was greatly enjoyed by all present. They were Mrs. Walter Riggs and children, Ralph, Iven, Howard and Martha; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Riggs and two children, Lucille and Kent, of Jacksonville; Mr. and Mrs. Basil Kitcher and two children, Brooke and LeDora, of Murrayville; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Kitcher and son Thomas; Mr. and Mrs. Clint Millon and children, Esther and David and Charles Riggs of Jacksonville.

Kill Kare Club With Miss Martin.

Members of the Kill Kare club met Monday evening at the home of Miss Evalena Martin, and in the course of their business session elected Miss Lila Roberts president, Miss Martin secretary and treasurer, and Miss Katie Clarkson press reporter. A very delightful social time was enjoyed, during which the members exchanged Christmas gifts.

Sinclair Country Club Holds Meeting.

Members of the Sinclair Country club held a very profitable meeting Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. William Richardson. A very interesting paper on "Child Labor" was presented by Mrs. Richard Robinson and Mrs. Fletcher Hart, which was afterwards discussed by the members. During the afternoon refreshments were served. The guest of the club was Miss Stella Vasey of this city.

Entertained at Sunday Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Truter entertained Sunday afternoon for their children: Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lewis and son Russell of Jacksonville, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Whitworth and daughter Lorine of Springfield. The time was spent in a social way, music being a feature. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Whitworth have returned to their home.

East Side Tuesday Club.

The regular meeting of the East Side Tuesday club was held at the home of Mrs. J. R. Bradley on West College avenue. Miss Courtney Crouse read a very able paper on "American Artists".

New Club Holds Its First Meeting.

"Walking Willie," a new club composed of young men residing south-east of the city, held their initial meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Homer Reynolds. A "Missouri turkey" supper was enjoyed and the evening was spent in playing various games and with music. There were sixteen present. Merle Reynolds and Everett Reynolds of Murrayville acted as chaperones of the company. The club has planned for several meetings to be held during the winter.

Entertained Friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clayton entertained at their home on North Prairie street at 6 o'clock dinner Sunday evening Mrs. Anna J. Holder of Eureka Springs, Ark., who is spending the holidays with friends and relatives in the city, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Duffer of South Mainvalter street, Mr. and Mrs. William Henderson of Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. John Sevier and James Clayton of Franklin. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Duffer of South Mainvalter street entertained the same guests at a 6 o'clock dinner on Monday evening.

William Bourne of the Shiloh neighborhood has returned from a trip to Chicago, Gary, Ind., and other places.

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SERVE TWENTY WARRANTS.
Steuersville, O., Jan. 4.—Twenty warrants charging fraudulent registration were served today on citizens about to vote in the special election to decide the municipal liquor question. Each was placed under \$500 bond and forbidden to vote. Several arrests for alleged illegal voting were made, the accused being held under \$1,000 bail.

MARQUIS IS INJURED.
Paris, Jan. 4.—The Marquis de Castellane, father of Count Boni de Castellane, was knocked down by an automobile as he was coming out of the military hospital where he had been working. Altho his injuries are serious the physicians believe he will recover.

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Quart jar breakfast cocoa.....25c
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L. M. MULLIKIN RECEIVES

CALL TO CONCORD CHURCH

Christian Church Without Pastor for Some Time—Rev. A. L. Cain to Eureka—Other Notes of Concord Vicinity.

The Concord Christian church has tendered a call for one year (full time) to L. M. Mullikin, pastor of the church at Drakeville, Iowa, and his work here will begin soon it is expected. This church has been without a regular preacher for some time and as Brother Mullikin comes well recommended the church expects to prosper during 1916.

A number of our people are sick with gripe.

Charles Brasel of Arenzville was in Concord Saturday on telephone business.

Miss Ruth Henderson, a student at Eureka College, spent two weeks at home on vacation and returned to her school work Monday.

Pastor Goes to Eureka.

Rev. A. L. Cain resigned his pastorate of the Concord M. P. Church, after a service of two years and has moved to Eureka to enter College there. He expects to continue preaching each Sunday for some church within easy reach of Eureka. We wish brother Cain and wife abundant success in their new field of work. They are deserving.

W. C. Brockhouse and family, are pleasantly located in their newly remodelled home in Concord, back the street from the Concord Bank. Mr. Brockhouse has been serving as Township Treasurer of school monies of 16-12 for a number of years and his unexpired term will be filled by his son, Ellis Brockhouse.

Sunday School Election.

The newly elected officers of the Concord Christian church are: Clerk—A. O. Bayless. Treasurer—S. M. Henderson. Deacons for 3 years—M. O. Smith and Roy Abernathy. Chairman—Geo. J. R. Wooff.

The Misses Quigg, teachers of the schools at Pleasant View and Hopewell, went home for a week's vacation.

Miss Mariam Kenyon visited during vacation with Miss Ethelyn Plank.

Mrs. Edgar Cooper of Springfield, has been visiting home folks in and near Concord for two weeks and returned to her home Sunday afternoon, stopping at Chapin a few hours.

Farrel Cooper returned to Springfield to take up his studies after a pleasant vacation at home.

NEGOTIATE TO ARRANGE BOUT.

Milwaukee, Wis., January 4.—"Snowy" Baker, boxing promoter of Sydney, has authorized Tom Andrews, local promoter, to arrange if possible, with Mike Gibbons of St. Paul and Young Ahearn of England, for a twenty round bout with Les Darcy, the Australian middle-weight champion.

Negotiations with Gibbons and Ahearn now are proceeding according to Andrews.

William Nunes has gone to Hot Springs, Ark., and from there will go to California for a visit of several weeks.

FIRE DESTROYS PLANT.

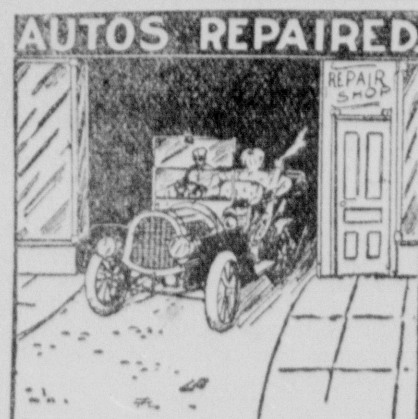
Birmingham, Ala., Jan. 4.—Fire tonight destroyed the plant of the Texas oil company at North Birmingham, causing a loss estimated at \$250,000. Fourteen tanks of gasoline containing twenty thousand gallons each were consumed and as the tanks burst in succession and the burning oil poured into Village Creek, the flames extended for nearly a mile and a half down that stream.

TWO HURT IN WRECK.

Mooselaw, Sask., Jan. 5.—A woman passenger and a fireman were injured when an express train collided with a local passenger train three miles east of here at 10 o'clock last night. Several cars were wrecked and traffic was blocked on both tracks.

MOVE TO RELIEVE CONGESTION

New York, Jan. 4.—Regulations designed to relieve freight congestion in New York harbor were made at a meeting here today of officials of the railroad entering New York. Embargos were modified in some instances and established in others.



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Wedding of Reid T. Tendick and Miss Minta Belle Frazier, Both of Rockbridge, Tuesday at Home of Dr. F. A. McCarty.

Reid T. Tendick and Miss Minta Belle Frazier, both of Rockbridge, were married Tuesday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock at the residence of Dr. F. A. McCarty, 620 West College avenue, Dr. McCarty saying the ceremony which united the two for life. Mr. and Mrs. Tendick will reside in Rockbridge, where the groom is associated with his father in a mercantile business.

The house occupied by Dr. and Mrs. McCarty, it was recalled, forty years ago saw the courtship of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Tendick, parents of the groom. For a number of years elder Tendick has resided in Rockbridge where he ranks among prosperous Greene county merchants.

The young people were unattended and the ceremony was a very quiet one. The bride has been a faithful worker in the Methodist church and during tours as district superintendent Dr. McCarty has often been at the home of her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Frazier.

The bride was reared in Rock Island and in Riggsston, graduating with honor from the high school of Winchester. Her father, S. H. Frazier, was for a number of years C. B. & Q. agent in the Scott county town and holds now a similar position at Rockbridge.

Mr. Tendick had completed the furnishing of a home in Rockbridge, where with his bride he will at once go to housekeeping.

EXPECT KING PETER TO PRESIDE

OVER RE-ORGANIZATION OF ARMY

Soldiers are Gradually Being Assembled at Saloniki—Visit to Athens Will Depend on Political and Military Developments.

Paris, Jan. 4.—King Peter of Serbia, who is staying at the Serbian consulate in Saloniki, is expected to preside over the re-organization of the Serbian army, according to a Saloniki despatch to the Havas News Agency filed January 2nd. The army is gradually being assembled at Saloniki, according to the despatch, groups of 100,000 to 200,000 men arriving from time to time.

"King Peter" adds the despatch, will address a rescript to the Serbians, in favor of a sacred union for the liberation of invaded Serbian territory. Whether he will visit Athens will depend on political and military developments. It is reported that King Nicholas of Montenegro also will come to Saloniki.

"The allied military authorities continue to arrest all persons suspected of espionage. The construction of strategic lines of a total length of 100 kilometres has been begun in the fortified region along the front."

Large Serb Force in Albania.

Paris, Jan. 4.—According to a Havas despatch from Athens under date of Jan. 3, the officers of King Peter's suite at Saloniki declare that the Serbian forces concentrated in Albania, not including the Serbian detachments co-operating with the Montenegrin army, number 100,000. "These forces", adds the despatch, "are almost completely re-organized and will shortly be amply provided with uniforms, artillery and horses. No decision has been reached as to how these forces will be utilized."

THE ALLEN CASE.

State's Attorney Robert Tilton said yesterday that an injustice was done him in a report of a "bootlegging" trial in the federal court. The article in the Journal said that the attorney for Myrtle Allen put something over on the state's attorney by a plea of not contendere. Mr. Tilton says that as the defendant was acquitted in the circuit court here he had nothing further to do with the case and was not in Springfield on that account.

NAME RUTHERFORD

ASSISTANT COACH.

Bloomington, Ind., Jan. 4.—R. B. Rutherford, captain of the 1915 Nebraska football team, will be assistant football coach at Indiana in 1916. He was highly recommended by E. O. Stiehm, director of athletics at Nebraska, who comes to Indiana in a similar position next autumn. The athletic board received Rutherford's acceptance tonight.

WILL NOT CONTEST.

Davenport, Ia., Jan. 4.—That the attorneys for the saloonkeepers who are testing the validity of Iowa's dry laws, will not contest the granting of a temporary injunction against them in the Scott county district court next Friday, is the idea prevalent here today. They will make their fight before the supreme court. In the meantime all saloons will be closed here.

TRANS-ATLANTIC CABLE

COMMUNICATION CRIPPLED

New York, Jan. 4.—Trans-Atlantic cable communication has been crippled or delayed by severe storms, which have swept over Ireland, England and the continent. Land telegraph lines connecting the cable stations in England with London and other cities are also affected by the storm.

COMPLETE SALE OF BROWNS

St. Louis, Jan. 4.—The sale of the St. Louis Americans to Phil Ball and other stockholders of the St. Louis Federal League Club, was completed tonight it was announced by attorneys for Mr. Ball.

Mrs. Marshall Swain and children have returned to Beardstown, after a visit with Mrs. Swain's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, of South Church street.

EXTRA PANTS

Why not buy a pair of extra pants to go with that suit. See our line from \$1.00 to \$6.50 in our east window this week sizes 29 waist to 52 waist and 27 long to 37 long.

T. M. TOMLINSON

ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS LEAGUE

PLANS TO INCORPORATE

Revision of Constitution Contemplates Securing of a Charter—Arrangements Are Made for Annual Meeting This Month.

Revision of the constitution will be the principal matter of business to come before the Morgan County Anti-Tuberculosis League at its annual meeting this month. It is planned to incorporate the organization and secure a state charter, and a change in the constitution is necessary to make this possible. Constitutional revision and plans for the annual meeting were discussed at the January meeting of the league Tuesday evening in the audience room of the public library. Mrs. A. L. Adams was in the chair and Carl H. Weber served as secretary.

A nominating committee was appointed consisting of Mrs. J. K. C. Pierson, Mrs. Herbert J. Capps and Dr. R. O. Post. The committee to look after the annual meeting consists of Dr. C. E. Cole, chairman; Miss Katherine Olmsted, Miss Dunmer and Carl H. Weber.

The annual meeting, it is probable, will consist of two sessions: a social and inspirational gathering around the banquet table, and a business gathering afterwards for members of the league.

NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS AT GRACE METHODIST CHURCH

Next Sunday morning at Grace M. E. church the new Sunday school officers in all departments will begin their work. Charles E. Collins has been re-elected superintendent, with Thomas V. Hopper first assistant and Miss Sophronia Kent second assistant superintendent. James I. Graham will continue as treasurer, with Harry Roach as assistant. Miss Mildred George is secretary, Miss Esther Davis librarian, while Miss Norma Dawson will act as assistant to the secretary and librarian.

In the various departments officers are as follows:

Primary department:—
Superintendent—Mrs. J. E. Graham.
Asst. superintendent—Miss Lula D. Hay.
Pianist—Miss Ida Marsh.
Secretary—Miss Ethel Ross.
Junior department:—
Superintendent—Miss Towle.
Pianist—Miss Marie Towle.
Miss Luella Blackburn is superintendent of the home department, with Miss Amelia Nebold as assistant.

WHITE HALL WILL MEET J. H. S. IN BASKETBALL THURSDAY NIGHT

The Jacksonville high school basketball team will play the first game in the regular schedule tomorrow night, when the team from White Hall will come and play Jacksonville in the school gymnasium. The Barry game before the holidays was the first event on the regular schedule, as first announced, and it was on account of the withdrawal of that school that the White Hall game was secured.

The following is the probable lineup for Jacksonville tomorrow night: Hull, lg.; Marshall, rg.; Tomlinson, c.; Ochsner, rf.; Boxell, lf.
The White Hall team has appeared this season to excellent advantage and the contest tomorrow night promises to be a lively one.

WITH THE SICK.

Mrs. Peter Bonansinga has returned from Springfield where she was a patient for some time in a hospital. She is improving in a gratifying manner and hopes soon to be quite well.

Mrs. Veerlin Daniels, 1006 North Fayette street, is much better after an illness of several days with la-grippe.

Mrs. Samuel McKean of Moorecroft, Wyoming, has recovered from an operation at Passavant hospital and returned to the home of her aunt, Mrs. John Lambert, on Caldwell street.

D. K. McCarty of Litterberry was among the visitors in the city yesterday, coming to see his wife, who is a patient at Dr. Day's hospital.

James F. Harrison of North Prairie street has been kept from his place of business several days on account of illness.

Mrs. T. Smith who lives east of the city is ill with pneumonia at Our Savior's hospital.



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TOM H. BUCKTHORPE

Some Topics of the Farm

Annual Report Shows Crop Improvement Work in Champaign County

(By C. H. Oathout, County Agricultural Adviser.)

A year ago this winter the members of the association were grouped in such a way that all in one group would have the same telephone center. One man in each group was selected as a leader so that whenever a trip was to be made to a community during the season this leader was to be notified and he in turn would call up the rest of the members in his group and find out if there was any particular point on which they wished to get suggestions. The idea was to give each member several opportunities for farm visits during the season. I hoped to get around the county in this way at least three times but owing to the season succeeded in getting around only twice. On these trips 402 farm visits were made.

The first work taken up in the spring was treatment of oats for smut. Sixteen meetings were held in different parts of the county to show the method of treatment. These meetings were attended by 500 people. Just how many acres were treated as a result I cannot say but wherever oats were treated according to directions the results were very marked. I received from members of the association the yields of 151 fields, 7569 acres in all. 3771 acres were treated and 4098 were not. The treated oats showed an increase of 5.7 bushels per acre over the untreated.

This coming spring I hope to have more such meetings so that every farmer in the county may have the opportunity of seeing how simple the smut treatment is. The saving on the acreage given above at thirty cents per bushel amounts to over \$6,000, and if all the oats in the county were treated the saving would amount to a good sized fortune. I hope to continue the smut treatment campaign until the smut is practically all killed out.

The cultivation of wheat was urged, and was put into practice by a good many with marked advantage to the wheat. I expect to send out questions asking for information on this subject soon in order to find out how much increase the cultivation actually made. In Livingston county where results were obtained from over 70 fields the cultivated wheat made four bushels per acre more than the uncultivated, and there was a further increase of five bushels per acre where rock phosphate had been used.

At this point I might say that 25 carloads of rock phosphate were purchased during the season, amounting in all to 735 tons. This is about one-third the amount ordered in 1914 but the wet backward season explains the reason, as many told me they expected to order phosphate but the ordinary farm work was held back so much as to make it impossible. Almost everyone who used the phosphate in 1914 put it all over a field without leaving a check strip on which no phosphate was applied, thus making it impossible to tell just how much increase was produced. I am of course glad that people have so much faith in it as to think they need no particular proof of its benefits on their own farms, but in many cases the tenant who has to listen to the taunts and see the sly smiles of his neighbors needs definite proof which cannot be denied by these skeptical neighbors. For this reason it is very desirable that check strips be left thru fields where phosphate has been applied. Once the tenant sees the direct results under his own eyes he will need no further proof and will be willing to handle all the phosphate the landlord will buy.

In most cases, even the no check strip was left we get the report that the corn matured earlier and was of better quality than that on fields where no phosphate was applied.

During the past year I have addressed 53 meetings, the total attendance of which was 3800 people. There have been 1773 calls here at the office and 894 individual letters have been written. Twenty-nine cir-

cular letters have been sent out under the frank, each one going to about 500 people. Nineteen articles have been sent to the county papers and published in them. We have also distributed 725 copies of United States Bulletins. Four observation trips were made to the experiment station. These were attended by about 20 people. More trips were planned but were given up on account of the weather. It is hoped that next summer a number of such trips can be made.

There was an attendance of about 500 at the annual picnic at the Harris farm. This gathering was addressed by Miss Naomi Newburn who gave a demonstration on canning fruits and vegetables and also by Dean Davenport of the College of Agriculture and Mr. B. F. Harris. We had hoped that the attendance would be larger but farm work was so far behind that the picnic had been postponed twice and at the time it was held farmers were still away behind.

There were but two seed corn meetings held this fall but on practically every farm I visited after seed corn time I found seed corn being well cared for. Next fall if the season will permit I expect to continue these seed corn meetings.

It is estimated that the increase in acreage of alfalfa has been at least 4000 acres the past year. It has been used as pasture for cattle, sheep and hogs with very marked success. Sudan grass has been grown very successfully by a few farmers. Mr. W. S. Hinton threshed 2500 pounds from his small patch. I have asked several to try it for pasture next year and hope that it will prove a good crop for this purpose as we are at present entirely lacking in a crop that we may sow in the spring and get good pasture the same season.

There have been several thousand hogs treated for cholera this winter but how many have been treated as a result of the association's work is hard to say. During the outbreak two years ago but few were treated. It is my belief that in the present outbreak 95 per cent of the herds where the disease has appeared have been treated. The treatment is as a general thing successful. Where we fall down is in thoroughly clean and disinfect premises where hogs have been sick or have been given the double treatment. Stray dogs and birds which ordinarily fly about hog lots should be shot. No person should be allowed ticular business there and then he should be made to thoroughly disinfect his shoes before entering the lot. A local hog buyer going from one hog lot to another may be a distributor of the disease unless he takes care to do this.

All should combine and co-operate to help eliminate this dread disease, which causes such a great annual loss and is the main drawback to an otherwise profitable industry.

Mr. Drury Believes in Self Feeding Methods.

The visit to Morgan county of John M. Evvard, assistant chief of animal husbandry at the Iowa State College, was really occasioned by an article Frank E. Drury had some weeks ago in the "Swine World" under the head of "Raising Hogs by the Thousand". This article attracted a good deal of attention among feeders and specialists in animal husbandry and resulted in correspondence between Mr. Evvard and Mr. Drury.

In the conduct of his business Mr. Drury has been specializing on hog raising for more than 20 years and he has been using the self-feeding system during a larger part of that time, and it was this particular fact that attracted the notice of Mr. Evvard whose experimental work at the Iowa college has been largely along this line. Mr. Drury has not been a contributor to the farm papers until within a comparatively short time but he has, nevertheless, gone steadily on in the development of feeding systems and plans based upon experimental work, and he is one of the largest growers of hogs in the state. The growth of hogs on his farm is especially complete, and he has added to it from time to time as he has discovered through his own experiments some means of betterment or has followed the lead of experimental work by others.

DEATHS AT SOLDIERS' HOME.

Record of deaths at the Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, Quincy, during the month of December are as follows:

Thomas Oakes, Co. A, 5th Ill. Cavalry, age 74 years.
Thomas J. Rollins, Co. F, 133rd Ill. Inf., age 69 years.
George Matthes, Co. E, 7th Mo. Cav., age 68 years.
Daniel L. Wheeler, Co. K, 103rd Ill. Inf., age 80 years.
Prosper Bagard, Co. A, 1st Mo. Cav., age 72 years.
Gideon R. Leeds, Co. A, 14th Ill. Inf., age 77 years.
William Douglas, Co. B, 19th Ill. Inf., age 81 years.
James Dee, Co. C, 100th New York Inf., age 80 years.
James N. Hoskins, Co. B, 57th Ill. Inf., age 73 years.
John Irving, Co. F, 126th Ill. Inf., age 80 years.
George W. B. Johnson, Co. I, 39th Ill. Inf., age 70 years.
William H. Kearby, Co. F, 13th Ind. Cav., age 74 years.
John O. Henderson, Co. A, 80th Ohio Inf., age 74 years.
Daniel Baer, Co. M, 7th Ill. Cav., age 77 years.
Henry Drollinger, Co. C, 178th New York Inf., age 68 years.
William Mathews, Co. C, 96th Ohio Inf., age 71 years.
John S. Holmes, Co. G, 29th New Jersey Inf., age 92 years.
Charles M. Loomis, Co. F, 139th Ill. Inf., age 69 years.

Perry Brown, Co. H, 83rd Ill. Inf., age 75 years.

Jacob Krein, Co. K, 149th Ill. Inf., age 80 years.

Angelo W. Chadsey, Co. L, 6th Mich. Cav., age 74 years.

John Selby, Co. M, 10th Illinois Cav., age 80 years.

James A. Paregian, Co. G, 9th Ill. Inf., age 74 years.

Elijah Nofsinger, Co. G, 122nd Ill. Inf., age 79 years.

NEW YEAR'S RECEPTION.

The church family will gather at Grace Methodist Episcopal church this evening for a New Year's reception. It is not a money making function but each member will pay a nominal sum (20 cents per plate) to cover the actual expense of the cafeteria luncheon, which will be a "Dutch treat". Orchestra music, an old fashioned sing, solos and humorous talks will add to the social pleasures of the evening. The gathering is on the evening of the mid-week prayer meeting, it is not the prayer service but a social church night. Everybody is invited.

COTTAGE PRAYER MEETING.

The Rev. George E. Nicholson will lead a cottage prayer meeting at the home of Mrs. Johns, 205 N. Church street, at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. This is held for those who cannot attend the evening meeting.

Mrs. J. Sanft and daughter Ida are over from Quincy visiting Jacksonville friends.

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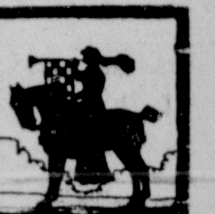
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SENATOR MAGILL WILL MAKE ADDRESS HERE SATURDAY

Will Speak Before Woman's Club on "General School Law and an Ideal Board of Education."

Senator Hugh S. Magill, superintendent of the Springfield schools, will be in Jacksonville next Saturday to make an address before the Woman's club. His address was arranged by the educational department of the club and the theme announced is "The General School Law and an Ideal Board of Education."

The meeting will be held at 3:30 Saturday afternoon at Academy hall and the public is cordially invited to attend. Because of the present situation in Jacksonville, the subject is one of very special interest and no one in the state is better qualified to discuss it than Senator Magill. The address was arranged for some weeks ago, before it was known that a court case would be made of the law passed by the last general assembly, for the purpose of abolishing one section of the special school charter, and having Jacksonville pass under the general school law.

J. H. S. BUSINESS DEPARTMENT.

Julian Pyatt, Edwin Pyatt and Weir Smith were enrolled yesterday in the commercial department at Jacksonville high school, bringing the total of the commercial department enrollment to 175 students. The young men were graduates of the school, and several other graduates, it is understood, expect to take advantage of the enlarged department and return to the school for commercial study.

Miss Lenore Garrison, who has been a student at the Kingman high school in Peoria, has enrolled in the high school here. Miss Garrison's home is in Pearl, Ill.

SOCIAL NEXT WEEK AT JACKSONVILLE Y. M. C. A.

Plans for a quarterly social to be held Friday evening, Jan. 14, were mentioned at the January meeting of the board of directors Tuesday evening in the association rooms. Tuesday evening, Jan. 14, there will be an election of directors.

The association has a present membership of 415 and reports of officers Tuesday showed Y. M. C. A. affairs to be in prosperous condition.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

H. M. Andre to Beulah P. Dyer, warranty deed to lot 17, F. G. Farrell's addition to Jacksonville—\$175.
John E. Ferreira et al to Robert M. Ferreira, quit claim deed to lot 3 block 31 city addition to Jacksonville—\$1.
Frank Ferreira et al to George W. Ferreira, quit claim deed to W 1-2 E 1-2, S 1-2, W 1-2 NE 1-4, 15-16-10—\$1.

DAY IN CONGRESS.

Met at noon.
Adjourned out of respect to the late Justice Lamar until noon tomorrow.
An expected attack on the administration's foreign policy thus failed to materialize.

HOUSE

Met at noon.
Secretary McAdoo asked a rush appropriation of \$100,000 for rural sanitation and fighting typhoid and pellagra.

The administration rural credits bill was introduced.

The naval affairs committee arranged to begin public hearings tomorrow starting with yards and docks.

Representative Campbell of Kansas introduced a resolution for a creation of an international federation of nations to preserve international law.

Tributes were paid by several members to the late Justice Lamar and the late Governor Hammond.

Adjourned at 2:22 o'clock until noon Wednesday.

L. C. and R. E. Henry were getting settled in their new quarters in the Grand opera house block yesterday. Williams & Goes have done the painting and decorating.

WHY HAIR FALLS OUT

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair shrinks, loosens and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub well into the scalp. After a few applications all dandruff disappears and the hair stops coming out.—Adv.

"HOUSE BASED UPON WOMAN."

"A house is not based upon the ground, but upon woman," is an old Montenegrin proverb. To her falls the hard work of the household. They use the sickle, tend the flocks, as well as the spinning wheel and have the vitality and health to enjoy it.

American women should take more care to preserve health and vitality by avoiding nervous, run-down conditions, and for this purpose our local Druggist, Lee P. Allcott, has a most valuable combination of the three best tonics known in Vinol. If you are weak, run-down, over-worked, just try it.—Advertisement, 0123456

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NO SERIOUS OBSTACLES IN THE WAY OF SALE OF CUBS

Sinclair and Taft are Closeted for an Hour—Further Negotiations Will Take Place Today.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 4.—According to both parties in the transaction there is no hitch that appears serious enough to prevent the sale of the Chicago National League club by Charles P. Taft, owner of the majority of the stock, to Charles Weeghman, former president of the Chicago Federals, and Harry F. Sinclair, the Oklahoma oil magnate.

Sinclair and Taft were closeted for an hour today, and at the conclusion of the conference both announced that further negotiations would take place tomorrow upon the arrival of Mr. Weeghman from Chicago, and that as far as either could now determine there were no serious obstacles in the way of the completion of the sale.

While this conference was in progress the National Baseball Commission decided to hold no formal meeting until tomorrow morning. The members of the commission met, however, and discussed various matters that will come up tomorrow at the meeting of the joint committee appointed to settle the dispute between the Federal and International leagues relative to the peace agreement recently signed here.

While this meeting is going on Mr. Taft will hold a conference with Sinclair and Weeghman and, according to baseball men who are in a position to know, it is not at all improbable that the future of the Cubs will be known by tonight.

The joint committee meeting is scheduled to begin at noon tomorrow, but previous to this meeting the National commission will go into session, according to announcement tonight.

The nature of the business to be transacted at the commission meeting was not disclosed but it was semi-officially stated that nothing of great importance will be taken up. In the case, the sale of the Chicago Cubs is completed tomorrow and the joint committee on the Federal and International leagues make reasonable headway, a meeting of the National league will be called for this city sometime later in the week, according to President Tener of the league today.

However, if the deal for the Cubs hangs fire longer than the meeting of the joint committee no National league meeting will be called.

Word was received here today that President Gilmore of the Federal league, who announced last night that it was not convenient for him to attend the meeting here tomorrow, had made arrangements to be present, and following the announcement of this information, Chairman Herrmann of the National commission stated that he expected a full attendance of the committee.

TINKER WILL TAKE THIRTY MEN TO SPRING TRAINING CAMP

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—Joe Tinker, new manager of the Chicago National Baseball team and old manager of the local Federal League club, announced today that he would take all the first-class men of each team—thirty players in all—to the spring training camp.

"It is necessary to carry that many players," Tinker said, "so that I will have two teams for practice games. The only way a manager can judge the ability of his men is to see them in action. I will have some classy players and it will require some thinking to decide which ones to retain for the playing season."

"I am going to take south with me twelve pitchers, four catchers, nine infielders and five outfielders. Who they will be I cannot say at present. We may make a trade before we start and that, of course, will change my list."

FOWELL IS NAMED HEAD COACH OF PENNSYLVANIA ELEVEN

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 4.—Robert C. Fowell, coach of the Washington and Jefferson football squad for several years, was today selected as head coach for the University of Pennsylvania eleven for next season. His selection later was ratified by the board of directors of the Athletic association.

Fowell was captain of the Pennsylvania team in 1907 and after graduating he coached the Lafayette squad for two years, afterward going to Washington and Jefferson, where he has developed exceptionally strong teams.

PROPOSE INVESTIGATION INTO RISE IN GASOLINE PRICES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Congressional investigation of the rise in gasoline prices was proposed in a resolution introduced in the house today by Representative Fuller of Illinois. Another resolution by Representative Shallenburg of Nebraska would ask the department of justice for any information in hand concerning gasoline prices and direct the department to conduct an inquiry. Both measures were referred to committees.

The federal trade commission already has an investigation of this subject under way and officials of the department of justice have indicated an intention to seek information as to whether there has been any violation of federal laws.

LANNING SIGNS WITH ATHLETICS

Middletown, Conn., Jan. 4.—Lester A. Lanning of Harvard, Ill., captain of the Wesleyan University baseball team, has signed a contract with the Philadelphia Athletics. It was learned today. He is a left-handed pitcher and batted over 400 last season.

Mrs. James Sorrell and son, James Allen, who have been spending the holidays with her father, W. P. Waterfield, have returned to their home in the Shiloh neighborhood.

WATCH NIGHT PARTIES HELD AT MEREDOSIA

Various Lodges Watch Old Year Out and New Year in—W. F. M. S. Meeting—Other Meredosia News.

Meredosia, Jan. 4.—The Watch meeting held by the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs at their hall Friday evening was well attended and it is said by many to be the best in a social way that has been held for some time. The evening was spent in various ways of amusement. An elegant lunch was served. Following was the program rendered.

Address of Welcome—Henry Orr.
Instrumental solo—Greta Looman.
Recitation—Cora Jeannette Kinnett.
Reading—Edith Unland.
Recitation—Alleane Unland.
Recitation—La Verne Unland.
Vocal duet—Iva Pond and Bernice Skinner.
Cornet solo—Frank Skinner with Bernice Skinner as accompanist.
Recitation—Corlisse Kinnett.
Instrumental solo—Frank Skinner.

Program of Masons.
The watch meeting held by the Masons and their families at the Ray Opera house was largely attended. At the close of the service delicious refreshments were served and they were then highly entertained by moving pictures. Following was the program rendered during the evening.

Music—Orchestra.
Prayer—Rev. T. L. Hancock.
Vocal solo—Mrs. L. H. Wegehoff.
Recitation—Miss Leta Schaefer.
Music—Orchestra.
Piano duet—Mrs. L. H. Yost and Miss Tena Kappel.
Address—Rev. T. L. Hancock.
Music—Orchestra.
Recitation—Miss Reva Hyde.
Piano solo—Miss Beulah Butcher.
Trombone solo—Earl Hyde.
Music—Orchestra.

Mrs. Caroline Graham returned home from Bluffs Monday.
Miss Anna Easley returned home Monday from a visit at Barry.

Miss Alta Gaddis of Springfield spent New Year's day here with home folks.

After Long Absence.
Mr. and Mrs. John Risor were Jacksonville visitors Friday where Mrs. Risor visited with her sister, Mrs. John Bungardner of Montana whom she had not seen for thirty years.

Harvey, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Floyd is ill with typhoid fever.

Charles Hinners of Springfield, visited Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claus Hinners.

Charles Nunn is in Naples this week taking charge of a barber shop during the illness of the proprietor.

W. F. M. S. Meeting.
The regular monthly meeting of the W. F. M. S. will take place Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Belle Savage. The lesson will be found in Chapter three of the study book, "The Lame Walk and the Blind See." Following is the program:

Leader—Mrs. T. L. Hancock.
Devotions—Mrs. Wesley McLain.
The Social Gospel—Mrs. Hancock.
Studies in Contrasts—Mrs. Harshman.
Daring Experiments—Mrs. Geo. Hyde.
Naturalized Christianity—Mrs. O. W. Gould.

Missions in Unfrequented Byways—Mae Wilson.
"Helema"—Mrs. James McLain.
Mystery Box—November and October.

Mrs. Maggie Black, Mrs. Lou Yost and Mrs. Whipple attended the funeral of Benjamin Eckles at Naples Sunday. The deceased was a brother of Mrs. Black.

Moved to Mr. Sterling.
Mrs. Sheppard and family, who moved to Mt. Sterling about one year ago has moved back to the city again to make their home.

Among the many Jacksonville visitors Monday were Eli Harshan, Arthur Hinners, Philip Hinners and Fred Brookhouse.

Sylvester Baur returned Monday to his work at Spirit Lake, Ia., after spending the holidays here with his parents.

Minister Returns Home.
Rev. O. Doering, who has been occupying the pulpit at the Lutheran church for the past three Sunday returned Monday to his studies at Springfield, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stainberg and son, Virgil, spent Friday with Rev. P. A. Soerensen and family in Bluffs.

Mrs. C. D. Kappel returned home from Jacksonville Saturday. She reports Mr. Kappel as improving in health.

To Entertain Young People.
Rev. T. L. Hancock and wife will entertain the young people of the Methodist church at the parsonage Friday evening.

Aged Resident Ill.
Irvin Seibert is confined to his home east of this place with sickness. Mr. Seibert is about ninety years of age therefore there is little hopes of his recovery.

Harvey-Raisor Nuptials.
Ray M. Harvey of Merritt and Miss Gertrude K. Raisor were united in marriage last Wednesday at the Methodist parsonage in Winchester. Rev. C. W. Casely of that city officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Raisor living on the Island and is held in high esteem by her associates. The groom is a young man of sterling qualities and has made many friends during his frequent visits to this city. The young couple have the best wishes of a host of friends for their future well-fare. They will reside on a farm near Merritt.

Dr. J. H. McIntosh left Tuesday for an extended business trip to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Post of Jacksonville were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson.

James Galaway and son, Elmo, arrived home Saturday from a visit with relatives at Weldon.

Miss Ruth Santony of Chapin visited Sunday with Miss Nina Roe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Berger and son Myron of Aronville spent Friday visiting relatives in this city.

Mrs. May Stuart is confined to her home with an attack of appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Leonard's boy is sick having been threatened with pneumonia.

Esther and Frank Robinson returned home to Jacksonville Monday after having spent the week here with Miss Leta Schaefer.

To Take up School Work.
Misses Nellie, Nettie and Edith Freeman and Lena Wegehoff returned to Jacksonville Monday to resume their work at the Woman's college, having spent the holidays here.

Miss Gladys Galaway has returned to the Illinois College at Jacksonville after spending the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Galaway in this city.

C. S. LaDow, wife and nephew, LaDow Stebbins, departed Thursday, for their home in Orleans, Mich., after an extended visit with Mrs. LaDow's daughter, Mrs. H. H. Hamman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cody and children, Frances, Wilard and Virginia of Jacksonville visited Friday and Saturday with Mr. Cody's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cody.

Family Quarantined.
The family of Elder B. E. Hayden was quarantined Friday. Their baby having developed a case of scarlet fever. It is said to be of light form.

Entertained for Cousin.
Miss Ethel Butcher entertained a number of friends at home Thursday evening in honor of her cousin, Miss Mildred Butcher of Mt. Auburn.

The evening was pleasantly spent in games and social conversation. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hall has for their guests Saturday and Sunday their children, Fred and Edna, and Irene Hadden of Jacksonville.

Miss Aneane Baur of Jacksonville spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Duer arrived home Monday from a visit in Springfield with their daughter, Mrs. Roy Troxell.

Miss Francis James arrived home Monday from a visit with Dr. A. P. Streuter at Aronville.

Big Raise of River.
The river at this place raised from Saturday night until Sunday morning 2 feet, 7 3/4 inches and from Sunday morning until Monday morning 1 foot. It is supposed the recent snows and rain is the cause.

River Clear of Ice.
The river at this place is clear of ice, something unusual at this time of the year.

Miss Tena Kappel was a Jacksonville visitor Monday.

C. D. Kappel arrived home from Jacksonville Monday, where he has been for several weeks under the care of a physician.

NEW YEAR'S DINNER IN HONOR OF MISS BOURN.
Miss Estella Bourn of Shiloh neighborhood very delightfully entertained a number of young people at a six o'clock dinner New Year's day in honor of her sister, Miss Marybelle Bourn of Normal.

Time was spent in various card games and music and all had a very delightful time. Miss Bourn returned to Normal Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bourn gave a New Year's dinner Sunday at their home near Shiloh. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bourn, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bourn, Leo Bourn, Misses Janet, Hattie and Lola Stevens, Misses Helen Carr, Estella, Marie and Dorothy Bourn.

GERMANY GRANTS PERMISSION.
Copenhagen (via London), Jan. 3.—The German government has granted the Ford peace expedition permission to travel to The Hague thru Germany by special train.

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day to visit over Sunday at the home of Elder and Mrs. J. A. Conlee.

T. J. Sims is quite ill with pneumonia.

J. R. Colbert, principal of the Waverly township high school, who has been suffering for several days from an abscess in the ear, was taken to a hospital in Springfield Saturday.

The N. G. class of the Christian Sunday school held a watch party in the basement of the church Friday evening. A good crowd was in attendance and all made merry during the closing hours of the night.

The Lorenz cantata and band concert given for the benefit of the Waverly Concert band was held in the M. E. church Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Burbank and family of Springfield came down Friday.

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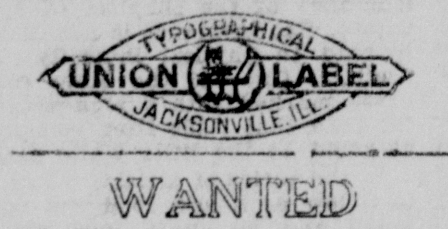
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STUDENT AND FACULTY REJOICE OVER RESULTS OF CAMPAIGN

Opening Exercises at Illinois Woman's College Tuesday Morning Were of Special Significance.

Victory and jubilee were in the air at the Woman's College yesterday morning. For weeks and months past the refrain had been one of struggle and strife; of pleading and urging but the note was all changed and victory was the theme and order of the day; it swelled in the songs, the speeches and all else and shone in the faces of president, faculty and students.

As soon as the faculty were seated in music hall the young ladies marched in singing a college song and bearing banners on which were inscribed, ENDOWMENT on one side and GYM on the other. Dr. Harker said nothing could be more appropriate than the doxology on this occasion and with fervor it was sung as the grand organ pealed forth the strains familiar through the Christian world.

"Sing it again," said the enthusiastic leader and it was sung and looking at the triumphant head of the college, the man who has wrought so earnestly for its welfare, his rather abbreviated stature seemed to rival that of the Philistine chief who defied the armies of Israel only he was thrust the conqueror. Then the gloria was sung and that ever popular hymn: "How Firm a Foundation, Ye Saints of the Lord" followed and then Dr. Harker said they might first repeat the words of the inspired writer, "Commit thy ways unto the Lord; trust also in Him and He shall bring it to pass."

and then he said they were entitled to repeat it in the perfect tense. "We have committed our ways unto the Lord, etc." and it was done. Devotional exercises followed including the 21st psalm, beginning, "I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills," and then Dr. Harker narrated briefly the history of the campaign, which has already been told more minutely in the Journal. He told how they began a little more than three years ago the task of securing \$250,000; how the \$150,000 had been raised, and finally how the last amount had been gained. In graphic manner he told how they began; how gifts from various sources moved in, especially he thanked the young ladies for the Christmas box they handed him and assured them he fully appreciated the effort made to set its contents.

In the last few years the college had accumulated as much as during the 66 previous years of its history. Even better, too, than the money gained is the interest in the hearts of so many people in the college; in the love that has been engendered on the part of so many who will be its friends.

And now many are asking the program for the future. He said he hardly dared announce it fully. One thing was very certain; a gym was an urgent necessity and must be forthcoming at the earliest possible moment; if only some generous person would come forward and say, "Here is your gym all ready and equipped," how fine it would be. Another thing, five years hence will be the diamond jubilee of the college. It now has \$425,000 in property and \$200,000 endowment; the diamond jubilee must see the million mark. (Loud applause.)

A tribute was paid the earnest efforts of Mrs. Lambert who was unable to be present. Mr. Houck and Dr. Ryle were called to rise and be greeted. Great applause followed the announcement that there would be no classes till afternoon. A number of special college songs were sung and with joy on the faces of all, the students and faculty dispersed.

RETURNS TO CHICAGO.

Miss Lucille Olinger, who has been spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Olinger, of Franklin, left Monday afternoon for Chicago to take up her studies at the Hinshaw Music conservatory.

A TEXAS VISITOR.

Mr. and Mrs. George Haas wife and two daughters are in the city visiting Mrs. Haas' mother, Mrs. Erming, 253 Franklin street. Mr. Haas was at one time a resident of this city and connected with the Armstrong drug store, but left a few years ago for Alvin, Texas, a place in the vicinity of Galveston. He is engaged in raising vegetables and fruit, largely strawberries which he ships to the north. He is well pleased with his southern home and says he is doing well and likes his outdoor life.

HOME FROM THE EAST.

Frank P. Taylor, the veteran traveling salesman for the U. S. Rubber company, has returned from a trip eastward, a treat from the company to its host of employees, who enjoyed a ride in a special train and visited the factories of the concern and became acquainted and more in touch with the business of the great establishment with which they are connected. They were royally entertained and report a fine time. There were more than five hundred in the company.

SOUTH FOR THE WINTER.

Mrs. E. W. Crawford left for Gainesville, Florida, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Crawford and son, Lawrence; Mrs. Henry Ricks and William Datz left for Ceresota, Florida, Tuesday, where they expect to remain the rest of the winter. Mr. Crawford has extensive real estate holdings there and raises fine oranges and grape fruit, some of which this part of the country has enjoyed.

Ceresota is beautifully located and has many delightful surroundings, which make it a pleasant place in which to spend a few of the cold months of the year.

AID SOCIETY TO MEET.

The Ladies' Aid society of Westminster church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. S. O. Barr, 1249 West State street. This is the annual meeting for the election of officers and the payment of dues and all members are urged to be present.

REPUBLICAN CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE MEETS HERE TODAY

Conference of County Chairmen Will be Held to Discuss Matters of Interest to Party and Candidates.

The Republican central committee of this congressional district will meet in Jacksonville this morning at 10:30 o'clock. The meeting has been called for the Dunlap hotel. Under the present law the chairmen of the central committees of the various counties constitute the congressional committee. Just what business is to be done before the committee has not been announced. There is a possibility that there may be an effort to endorse the candidacy of several men seeking office and there is certain to be some discussion as to the identity of the two most likely candidates for delegates to the national convention.

One story is that the meeting is intended primarily as a conference of the friends of Senator Sherman in the district, and is for the purpose of discussing some plans which may be of service in his campaign. Some of his most enthusiastic supporters are said to want the committee to endorse the senator's candidacy. Others have a feeling that if any endorsement is made that complications will likely result and that an effort may be made by the friends of Mr. Russell and Col. Lowden to secure endorsements, and further that Homer J. Tice, who is a candidate for auditor, would not be averse to the publicity which might be given his candidacy thru a resolution of endorsement. So the meeting is fraught with quite a number of possibilities, and no one really knows just what will happen.

WILLOW CREEK DRAINAGE CASE

The Willow Creek Drainage case was before Judge Thomson in the County court again Tuesday. At the opening of court Tuesday morning the attorneys for the commissioners of the district asked leave to file an amended assessment roll. They were given until opening of court in the afternoon to file an amended roll. When the amended roll was filed the attorneys for the objectors made strenuous objections. They asked for a continuance which motion was overruled. They then asked for time to examine the roll and prepare affidavits. This also was overruled and the court ordered the hearing to proceed.

The objectors attorneys then put H. L. Caldwell of the Caldwell Engineering company on the stand. Mr. Caldwell had made a survey of the district and presented a blue print of the survey which was offered by the objectors as part of the testimony. Mr. Caldwell was on the stand practically all of the afternoon. During that time the attorneys read from many opinions. It is probable that the case will last for several days yet and it also is probable that no matter which way it is decided that an appeal will be taken to a higher court.

SWORE OUT WARRANT CHARGING FALSE PRETENSES

S. W. Branner, proprietor of the Jacksonville Auto company went before Justice Dyer yesterday and swore out a warrant for the arrest of Errol Shibe. The charge was passing a worthless check to the amount of \$30. It is said that Shibe got some work done on his automobile at the Jacksonville Auto company and gave a check which when presented at the bank was not paid on account of lack of funds. The warrant was the result. Shibe had not been apprehended late Tuesday afternoon but probably will be arrested today.

A COMMUNICATION.

Editor of the Jacksonville Journal:

I wish to make some comments on an editorial entitled "A Question Answered," that appeared in the Sunday morning's Journal, January 2nd, and I ask space for publication.

Ever since the recent meeting of the Morgan County Republican Central committee the Jacksonville Journal seems to have contracted a political grinch, and in your last editorial in your Sunday's issue you speak of a smudge on the candidacy of Morgan county's endorsed candidate for member of the Legislature from Morgan county, M. L. Hildreth. Now, the facts are, the man and his principles and his ability and honesty of purpose makes M. L. Hildreth a peerless candidate, and as a citizen and a Republican he numbers his friends in Morgan and Sangamon counties by the thousands. This, joined with the fact that he has been unanimously endorsed as a candidate for the Legislature by the Republican organization of Morgan county, places Mr. Hildreth in a position, as I see it, that should the Jacksonville Journal not look on his candidacy with favor, the fact would be of small political consequence. In your editorial in Sunday's Journal you speak of Mr. Ticknor and Mr. Dye. Now, Mr. Ticknor did not sign the petition for the call for the meeting of the Morgan County Central committee, neither did he vote at the recent meeting of that committee, for Mr. Ticknor is our chairman and does not vote, only in case of a tie, and there was no evidence of any tie vote at the recent meeting of the committee. Mr. Dye did sign the petition and voted at the meeting, which was his right as a member of the Morgan county organization. I am personally acquainted with Mr. Dye; he has the reputation of never laying down on a friend, and will enter a fight to defend the principles of the Republican party under any provocation. Mr. Dye has been a member of the Morgan County Republican Central committee for over twelve years and, in my opinion, has always preserved the dignity of his position. Now, why does the Journal pick and nag and seemingly find fault with Mr. Ticknor and Mr. Dye? Mr. Ticknor is chairman of the Morgan County Republican Central committee, and Mr. Dye is treasurer of the Morgan County Central committee. Perhaps

FOODS

THEY BUILD OR DESTROY

Amazing but Rarely Suspected Truths About the Things You Eat.

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CHAPTER I.

Live stock and crops are fed according to fixed laws. Infants and children are fed in ignorance and caprice.

Our daily food is less understood than is perhaps the referendum or the fourth dimension. Not one woman or child in ten thousand can give a definition of the phrase. Notwithstanding the fact that to the housewife and to those dependent upon her judgment for their health and very life there is no thing more vital, she is as much mystified over its meaning today as when she first began to read about Dr. Wiley's activities.

Babies are born every day and every day children are fitted for school. Their food is their first and most important necessity. Without pure food all the tender nursing and all the love and care lavished upon them soon take the shape of anxiety and fear.

Owners of stock farms, producers of prize sheep, poultry, and hogs understand its meaning thoroughly. They apply their knowledge of its meaning and measure the results according to fixed rules. They know that the growth and health of their animals depend upon the operation of clearly defined and easily understood laws.

They make a business of feeding their animals for certain desired ends. To them pure food is not a mystery. It is a means with which to supply proper building materials to the physical development of the creatures in which their money is invested; a means with which they may effectively prevent disorder and sickness among their herds, flocks, kennels, and litters.

Even the average farmer, as far as his soil is concerned, knows quite perfectly the meaning of pure food. He knows that if he does not supply his fruit, vegetables, and grains with just the right kind of soil food, by giving to his land the food elements required by his plants in the form of fertilizer, he will have either a stunted, feeble crop or a crop failure.

The United States government has developed around this truth one of its most important and most useful departments, the chief of which, in the person of the secretary of agriculture, is a member of the President's cabinet.

Live stock and crops are receiving the benefit of man's interest in pure food, but thus far in the affairs of our national development infants and children are not, as a rule, receiving that benefit. Woman's interest in pure food has not yet crystallized.

This heretofore has not been woman's fault, because she has been led to believe that Uncle Sam stands on guard over her food supply. To show her how hollow is this pernicious superstition this newspaper has placed its columns at the disposal of the writer, under whose direction it will begin a campaign of education, presenting a plain un-

derstandable treatment of the whole subject in a form not only acceptable to physician, nurse, and teacher, but to the parents of our boys and girls, and to the boys and girls themselves.

Thousands of untimely deaths, the true causes of which are never suspected, are occasioned by pitiable ignorance of the simplest laws of nature. But ignorance is not the only road to physical infirmity and death. One of the other roads, never marked with a sign-post, is the road that leads from commercial greed to the little white casket.

In the series of articles which are to follow no honest food will be ignored and no guilty food will be spared. In the name of the things we eat, for the benefit of the cradle, the nursery, the kindergarten, and the school, the shield of privilege will be battered and food follies called out of their snug retreat to render a long overdue account to a grim jury of awakened mother love.

This newspaper has promised me that its pages will be as free and unconfined to my story about our deadly food and its deadly but unsuspected abuses, their causes and their remedies, as are the women's clubs, church societies, and organizations of unselfish welfare workers who extend to me the privilege of their platforms.

With this unfettering compact and the fearless support of an outspoken newspaper my readers will be taken behind the scenes and there learn for themselves just how the laws of nutrition, so sacred to animal life, are outraged and debauched.

Where the faults originate in the idle caprice of the housewife herself, thru thoughtlessness of her own or inheritance from some of grandmother's superstitions, the result of such household sins, when applied to the diet of mice, rabbits, guinea-pigs, monkeys, chickens, and cows will be described.

Where the abuse is purely commercial, the lid will be taken off and in such instances as are not born in lust for gain at the expense of human life the natural and practical reform will be pointed out.

For the old abuses for which politicians and clever lawyers have succeeded in erecting a flimsy protection and defense for outrageous and unnatural practices there will be no mercy.

The physician who follows this constructive reform will come into the possession of facts which unfortunately are not to be obtained in the medical schools of Europe or America, and he will receive new information with regard to many of the causes of malnutrition, anemia, neurasthenia, tuberculosis, and other preventable diseases which, in the form of needless pain, are so frequently visited upon the bodies of innocent women and children.

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Mrs. K. S. Reisinger of Decatur Tells How Tanlac Relieved Her. PRAISES MEDICINE.

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"I feel like a different woman," she continued, "for the medicine has done me a great deal of good. I have been troubled with my stomach and indigestion for some time. Before I began taking Tanlac, it was difficult for me to prepare a meal without the odor of the food making me sick. My appetite fell off and the little things that I did relish did not seem to agree with me very well. I finally reached a place where I could not sleep at night and when I would get up in the morning I would feel all tired out and sometimes quite weak."

"I saw Tanlac advertised and decided to try a bottle though I must confess that I did so with great misgivings, as I had tried a number of other remedies and had obtained only temporary relief. Much to my surprise after I had taken the first bottle I began to feel better. In a few days my appetite had improved and I was able to eat just any kind of food with great relish. I am no longer restless at night but sleep as peacefully as a baby and feel refreshed and bright when I arise in the morning."

"I am so happy that I want everyone to know of my case and to know of the good Tanlac did me. I am more than glad to recommend this medicine to all my friends and to all others who are suffering as I was."

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1915 was a bountiful year. What could be more businesslike and sensible than to make a conservative investment from its income, an investment which you are absolutely sure will accrue to the benefit of your health and happiness, and such knowledge of things as travel only can give? Now is a convenient time to get away, and the most desirable time to be away, and the best time to be in California. Really, don't you owe yourself and the family the pleasures and benefits of such a trip? Come in and get our California Excursion folder. Take them home and have a heart to heart talk with the wife. The chances are that she can get ready to go as quickly as you can. I'll be glad to arrange for the tickets and reservations all the way through.

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Think About It Seriously.

We wish to remind you that the enrollment in our

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If you have not become a member, we suggest that you consider seriously doing so N-O-W. Start the New Year right.

We are so thoroughly convinced that it is a "good thing" for everybody that we are enthusiastic and are anxious to make the Club a Banner Club in point of membership.

We would like to have you and your friends among those to whom we will issue checks just before Christmas, 1916.

CONSIDER THE PROPOSITION NOW.
GET ALL THE PARTICULARS—THEN
DECIDE POSITIVELY. DO NOT DELAY

The Ayers National Bank

AGED VETERAN OF CIVIL WAR DIES AT HOME IN CHAPIN

David Angel Passes Away Tuesday After Lingered Illness—Other Chapin News Notes.

David Angel died at 12:55 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at his home in Chapin after a long period of failing health. Since Sunday his condition has been serious and the end was not unexpected.

For more than a year Mr. Angel was a prisoner in Andersonville and his record in the Civil War was long and honorable. He was a member of Co. I, 115th Regiment and saw much hard fighting in the great conflict.

Mr. Angel was born Nov. 25, 1838 and Oct. 25, 1866 was married to Miss Julia Holliday of Concord. His home during boyhood and youth was in Concord and he then removed to Arendville, engaging in the trade of butcher. Mr. Angel removed to Chapin in 1892 and before his retirement was in the butcher business there also. He was the son of George and Elizabeth Angel and two brothers and three sisters of Mr. Angel have long since died.

Deceased was a devoted member of the Methodist church and belonged to the G. A. R. He was known for his geniality and evenness of temper as well as for his integrity and honesty of dealing.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the family residence in Chapin. The body will be sent Thursday morning to Jacksonville and burial will be made in Diamond Grove cemetery. Rev. Mr. Barnett will be in charge of the services at Chapin.

Mrs. Ray Bridgman has resigned her position in the post office at Chapin and Miss Esther Moody has taken her place.

Bert Southwell of Winchester is making a visit at the home of E. E. Coulson and family.

Earl Cowdin and C. E. Drake were visitors yesterday in Jacksonville.

Mrs. Arthur Stringham of Beards-town, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Z. Stanley, for a few days.

Franklin Vannier of Riggsport was a visitor in Chapin Tuesday.

NO LESSENING OF TENSION IN CRISIS

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deliberate, however, officials say there is no intention of acting any the less firmly and promptly if the facts warrant.

Now at Most Critical Stage.

The president and all his advisers are represented as realizing to its full extent that the submarine controversy, drawn over nearly a year with perplexing and critical negotiations, often brought to the breaking point, now is at the most critical stage it ever has assumed and their intention is that the next step shall place the government in a position where it will be able to maintain the principles of international law and humanity. They are represented as intending that all the facts shall be so fully developed that when a move is made it will withstand whatever eventualities are expected to follow. The possibility that any action taken will affect the relations of the United States not only with Austria, but with all the central power belligerents as allies, is not being left out of consideration. There is always in the background the possibility that the Persia was not torpedoed, or if she was torpedoed that the act cannot be proved, and the assurances of Baron Ziwedinek, the Austrian charge, that should one of his country's submarines be found responsible, reparation and satisfaction would be given, is a relieving factor.

Might Prove Important Feature.

In the background of the whole case, however, lies the continued destruction of ships with loss of life, after both Germany and Austria have given the United States assurances that passenger ships would not be attacked without warning or opportunity afforded for their non-combatants to find places of safety. This broader phase of the situation, rather than the one case of the Persia, may become the ground for the next move. It was indicated today at the state department that the fact that the Persia had a gun aboard when she went down might be an important feature in the case and that future developments possibly might warrant the United States in advising American citizens not to travel aboard armed merchant ships, even though they are armed for defense only.

Secretary Lansing is of the opinion that much depends upon what use, if any, was made of the Persia's gun.

There was an intimation that should it be established that the Persia was torpedoed by an Austrian submarine the United States might decide that if no attempt was made to use the gun, the act was without justification. If, however, it should be shown that the crew attempted to use or did use the gun, the United States might consider that the commander of the submarine had a right to torpedo the vessel.

FUNERALS

Tobin.

Funeral services for the late Edward Tobin were conducted at the Church of Our Savior Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, in charge of Rev. Father Schneider. Burial was made in Calvary cemetery and the bearers were William Lewis, T. J. Mandeville, James Cosgriff, Thomas Casey, Morris Carrigan and Edward O'Mara.

LICENSED TO MARRY.
Reid T. Tendick, Rockbridge, Miss Minta B. Frazier, Rockbridge.

The Caritas Rebekah lodge No. 625 has made plans to hold a supper and entertainment at their hall this evening. Each member is to bring her own supper and a guest.

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The Banks are very handsome. They are brand new and are beautiful little safes, made of the finest steel, superbly finished in oxidized copper, are fitted with Yale locks and a device to prevent money from being improperly extracted.



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H. H. PERKINS LOSES HAND AS RESULT OF ACCIDENT

Falls Beneath Wheels of Wabash Passenger in Attempting to Board Train—Injured Man Employed by Harry Ketner on Farm.

While trying to get on east bound passenger train No. 12, Tuesday night about 11 o'clock, when it was in motion, H. H. Perkins, a farm hand was thrown under the wheels. His hand was badly mangled and he was also very severely injured about the head. Prompt action on the part of Conductor Gould who was in charge of the train in throwing on the air probably saved Perkins' life or at least much worse injuries.

Perkins is said to have been in the employ of Harry Ketner west of the city. He was going to Springfield and did not leave the ticket window until the train was in motion. He attempted to step on the train just behind the porter and lost his hold and fell. Fortunately he fell between rail and the edge of the concrete platform. His right hand fell on the rail and the wheels passed over it. He was rolled a considerable distance and contact with the trucks and the platform cut his head badly.

Officer Edward Moore and Officer Lee Deatherage were at the station and Officer Moore was the first to reach the injured man. He pulled him from under the train and with the assistance of Officer Deatherage and others he was placed in the baggage room and an ambulance called and he was taken to Our Savior's hospital. Dr. Haigrove, the company surgeon was called and gave him the necessary attention.

It was found necessary at the hospital to amputate the hand. The young man suffered a fractured skull and is in a critical condition.

Perkins is a man under thirty years of age and has been around this vicinity for some time working on farms. In conversation with people at the station Tuesday evening he remarked that this would be his last trip to Springfield for some time as he was going to get some clothing he had left there on a previous trip. After the accident he showed a great deal of courage, giving his name to Conductor Gould and asking that his brother whom he said worked for A. B. Cleary west of the city be called and notified of the accident.

Wabash passenger train No. 12 was over an hour late Tuesday evening, having been delayed at Bluffs by the derailment of some cars of a freight train.

THE BIRTH RECORD

Born, Monday, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roach of Litterberry, a son.

ALL DAY MEETING.

The Ladies Aid Society of Salem church will hold an all day meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. Chas. H. Davis, 511 East College avenue.

Misses Lucille and Rachel Rexroat of Concord have returned to their studies at the Woman's college after the Christmas vacation.

ATEXAS WONDER

THE Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. It is sold by your druggist. It will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and a dozen rails to perfect cure. Send for testing trials from this and other States. Dr. E. J. Hall, 233 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists. Adv.



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GOOD ROADS MEETING PLANNED FOR LITERBERRY

North County Residents Want Jacksonville and Virginia Road Oiled Early This Spring.

Residents of the north part of the county have already begun their preparations for some road improvement the coming spring, and it is their hope to perfect plans which will result in the oiling of the road from Jacksonville to Virginia. In order to take some definite steps looking toward this improvement, a meeting will be held in Literberry Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Residents of the Literberry and Arcadia neighborhoods are especially requested to attend this meeting. Residents in Cass county have agreed to see to it that the road is oiled from Virginia to the Cass county line if they have assurance that the improvement will be continued to Jacksonville. Residents of the north part of the county have been very aggressive in road dragging and other work, and the early interest they are showing for 1916 oiling is indicative of the general enthusiasm with which they enter upon road betterments.

TEN DAY SALE—GOSSARD CORSETS AND BRASSIERES! Begins today, to introduce to a still larger number of ladies, this popular front lace corset. We are authorized by the Gossard makers to sell a lot of new fresh models in Gossard corsets and Brassieres at reduced prices for the next ten days: \$2.50 Gossard Corsets for \$1.50 \$5.00 Gossard Corsets for \$3.33 \$8.50 Gossard Corsets for \$5.67 50c Gossard Brassieres37c \$1.50 and \$2.00 Gossard Brassieres at 98c.

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ANNUAL ROLL CALL
FAVORITE LODGE 376 K. P.
Arrangements are practically completed for the annual roll call of Favorite Lodge No. 376 Knights of Pythias which will be held Thursday evening. The Rev. Walter E. Spoonits will be the chairman of the evening and the main feature of the program will be dramatic readings and impersonations by Miss Mary Pauline Miller of Springfield. Hugh S. Green has also promised to give some readings. Invitations have been sent to all members and it is expected that there will be a large attendance.

ATTENDED DANCE.
Misses Agnes Keating and Clara Rook and Samuel Boylan and William Rook have returned from Roodhouse where they attended a dance.

W. B. Hess of Quincy was transacting business in the city Tuesday.

2000 Pounds of Coffee to Sell in January

See our wonderful bargains in Aluminum Ware as an inducement to try Chase & Sanborn's Coffee During January.

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Coffee Percolators 85c. Double Boiler 75c
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Price of Coffee, 25c, 30c, 33½c, 35c and 40c.

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AT THE GRAND FRIDAY.

Cohan and Harris think "It Pays to Advertise." Those in the local community who don't agree with Cohan and Harris will have something to think about when Cohan and Harris offer their latest farce hit, "It Pays to Advertise", at the Grand Opera House on Friday evening, January 7th.

In upholding their thoughts about advertising, Cohan and Harris are able to show one of the funniest farces staged in recent years. For one solid year "It Pays to Advertise" ran at the Geo. M. Cohan Theatre in New York, being the excellent composition of Roi Cooper Megrue and Walter Hackett, who have filled this farce with bright dialogue, clever dissertation, amusing play and invention.

Local patrons of the theatre don't have to ponder long in making up their minds about attending a play when Cohan and Harris announce one of their successes. Having established a country-wide reputation for excellence in the production of successes, this firm has surpassed all previous efforts with "It Pays to Advertise". It's one of those plays that can't be told about in cold type. It must be seen to be appreciated, and that it has been appreciated is vouched for by its year's run in New York.

Among the skilled players who will be seen in the local engagement are Elsie Glynn, M. J. Sullivan, George Leland, James I. Mitchell, Daniel A. Anderson, James J. Gardner, Ruby Herriman, H. N. Dudgeon, Felix McClure, Doris Jordan, Page Spencer and Mason Emerson.

Seats on sale this morning at 9 o'clock.

SPECIAL!

Loin Steak—20 cents.
Pork Chops—15 cents.
Sugar-Cured Smoked Hams—16c.
Picnic Shoulders—12 cents.
DORWART'S CASH MARKET.

HAVE RETURNED HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Buckthorpe and son have returned from a trip occupying a few weeks, during which time they visited Oto, Mo., Emporia, Garden City and Cimarron, Kansas. The greater part of the time they spent at Oto, where is the residence of N. P. Cox, father of Mrs. Buckthorpe. They came home in fine health and much pleased with their journey and visits.

STUDYING IN ST. LOUIS.

Dr. George H. Stacy is in St. Louis for a short term of genito-urinary study and investigation of late developments in gas anesthesia.

Our fine Sausage—Polish, Liver, Pork and Meat Wurst, now ready. **WIDMAYER'S CASH MARKETS.**

ANOTHER CONTRIBUTION SENT FOR PASSAVANT HOSPITAL

Mrs. Jennie Waddell Dawes, a Former Resident, Sends Pledge for Two Hundred Dollars.

While the special campaign for Passavant hospital closed several weeks ago, as already indicated, there is no intention on the part of the general committee to cease their labors until the desired and necessary funds are available. An indication yesterday that the good work is still going on was given when Dr. Josephine Milligan received from Mrs. Jennie Waddell Dawes of Pittsburgh, a contribution of \$200 for the fund. Mrs. Dawes is a sister of Frank J. Waddell, and this was her home until the time of her marriage. She has been a resident of Pittsburgh now for a number of years but her interest in Jacksonville has not been lessened, and she has just given substantial evidence of her kindly sympathy for local institutions.

A contribution of \$20 from W. H. Evans was reported to Mayor Rodgers yesterday to F. E. Farrell, treasurer.

Read about WIDMAYER'S "Meat Specials" on Page 7, in this issue.

OWLS INSTALL OFFICERS.

The Order of Owls, Nest No. 1697, held its installation of officers at the hall on West Morgan street Tuesday evening. There was a good attendance of members. After the installation of officers the members enjoyed a luncheon and listened to a program of music by an orchestra. The installing officer was Iorato Black. The officers installed are: President—J. M. Vasconcellos. Vice-president—Adna Van Wormer. Invocator—Oliver Hamm. Secretary—E. E. Treuter. Treasurer—R. K. DeFrates. Warden—Lee Angelo. Sentinel—Edward Tribble. Picket—Newton Tribble. Trustee for three years—Phillip Jacoby.

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WAVERLY REVIVAL.

The revival meetings in progress at the First Baptist church of Waverly under the direction of Rev. Percy W. Stephens, assisted by Harry Beckman of this city, are moving along in a very satisfactory way. A very large audience was present Sunday night, and at the close of the service seven young people professed conversion. Similar interest was manifested Monday and Tuesday nights. Monday members of the freshman class of the high school attended the service in a body and the juniors will do the same tonight. From all indications the services will be very helpful to the community, as even in these early days a very active interest is manifest.

SCHOOL FOR DEAF TO RE-OPEN.

The School for the Deaf will reopen today after a Christmas vacation period of two weeks. Most of the teachers have returned and many of the pupils came yesterday. The party from Chicago was in charge of Miss Frances Wood and those coming from St. Louis were under the direction of Miss Rhoda Woodall. A number of the pupils remained at the school during the vacation period and Supt. Gillett and his assistants have each day had some special diversion for the boys and girls who did not go home, and the vacation time has meant for them a period of real enjoyment.

FIRST REVIVAL SERVICE.

The first of the old-time revival services to be held thru January and February at Northminster Presbyterian church will take place this evening in connection with the regular mid-week service. The pastor's talk will bear upon the Sunday school lesson. Sunday evening Rev. Mr. Spoonits will speak on "Jacksonville's Glory."

THURSDAY CLUB.

The West Side Thursday club will meet Thursday at 2:30 with Mrs. Vela Osborne, 436 South East street. A full attendance is desired.

DELEWARE TRIBE HOLDS SEMI-ANNUAL INSTALLATION

Officers Inducted into Various Places With G. V. Skinner as Installing Officer—Plan Membership Campaign.

The semi-annual installation of officers of Delaware Tribe No. 78, Improved Order of Red Men was held at the regular meeting Tuesday evening. There was a large attendance of members and after the installation a smoker was enjoyed. During the evening rousing speeches were made by all of the newly installed officers and Brother Orion E. Tandy. All the speakers pledged themselves to work for the good of the order and it is purposed to start an active membership campaign immediately. Delaware Tribe is in good condition considering the stringent business conditions of the past few months but with prospect of improved business conditions it is hoped a large number will be added to the membership.

William H. Anderson, deputy Great Sachem was unable to be present on account of illness and Past Sachem G. V. Skinner acted as installing officer. He was assisted by Abe L. Wood as Great Prophet and Roy Branstetter as Great Sannap. The officers installed are:

Sachem—George W. Davis.
Senior Sagamore—W. J. Brooks.
Junior Sagamore—Robert Tilton.
Chief of Records—A. B. Opperman.

Collector of Wampum—C. J. Roberts.

Keeper of Wampum—Joe F. Brennan.

Trustee for 18 moons—Eugene D. Pyatt.

Representative to Great Council, two great Suns—George W. Davis.

ELLIOTT STATE BANK

Savings Deposits made during the first ten days of January will bear interest from the FIRST of the month.

RESOLUTION OF RESPECT.

Whereas: Our Heavenly Father in his wisdom has taken from our midst our aged and beloved Sister, Susanna Henderson, and

Whereas, our members feel the loss of our venerable sister and member, Be it

Resolved: that these resolution be spread on the record of our Journal. Signed by officers of Literberry M. E. Society:

President—Mrs. J. M. Litter.
Secretary—Mrs. Ellis Thompson.
Assist. Secretary and Reporter—Mrs. D. K. McCarty.
Treasurer—Mrs. J. C. McMillen.
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ACKNOWLEDGES XMAS CARD
Capt. Jas. M. Swales sent out to a number of his friends during holiday week cards bearing an expression of good wishes for a happy new year. In response to one of the cards so sent, he is in receipt of the following acknowledgment, which he esteems highly:

Washington, D. C., Dec. 31, 1916
Captain J. M. Swales,
"My Dear Captain: Please accept my thanks for your beautiful remembrance to me for the holidays. It was so kind of you to think of me."

I hope that time has dealt kindly with you, and that this year holds many blessings which you richly deserve.

Remembering your devotion to General Logan when you were Custodian of the Logan Memorial room, and with all good wishes to you and yours, I am cordially yours,
Mrs. John A. Logan."

WE STILL HAVE BARGAINS.

We are in our handsome, new quarters in the Grand Opera House block and have still a good many beautiful hats and attractive goods which we are selling at the greatly reduced prices.

L. C. & R. E. Henry.

HAPPILY SURPRISED.

Tom Cox Buckthorpe was happily surprised on his return home yesterday from a trip west with his parents, when he found a present of a fine buggy and harness; just the thing for the Shetland pony he owns. It was the gift of his affectionate uncle, Dr. R. R. Buckthorpe, and much delighted the recipient.

WILL INSTALL NEW OFFICERS TONIGHT

Ralph Stringam will be installed as worthy president of Jacksonville Aerie No. 599, Fraternal Order of Eagles, at the regular meeting this evening. It is expected that there will be a number of visitors from out of the city in attendance. After the installation a turkey supper and smoker will be enjoyed. It is expected that the ceremonies will be the best ever held by the local aerie.

Double-heeled Rubbers at Hoppers.

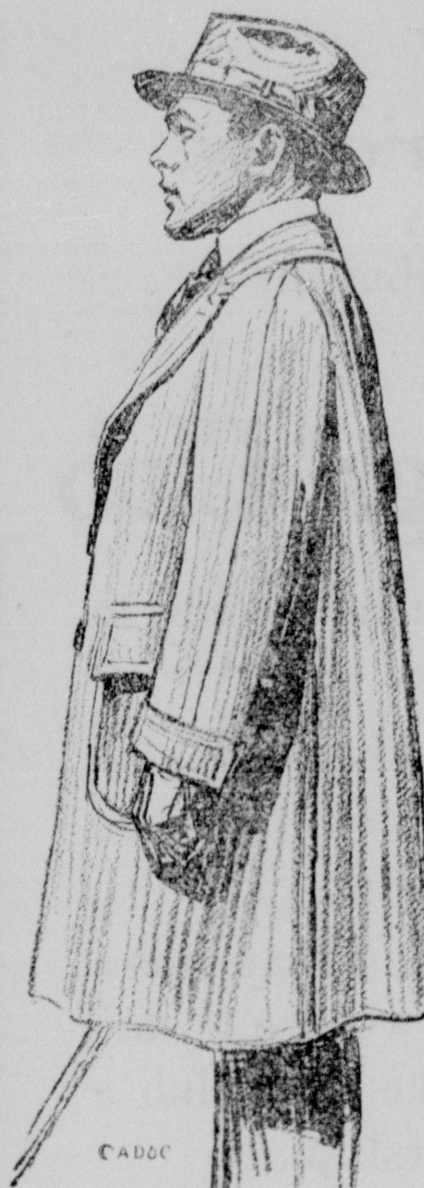
QUARTERLY CONFERENCE.

The quarterly conference of Jacksonville circuit will be held Saturday afternoon at 1:30. A report of the building committee and other important business will be transacted.

Charles H. Davis, pastor.

LOST—Ladies' Brown Kid glove on Church or Anna streets. Reward for return to Myers Bros. store. 1-5-1t

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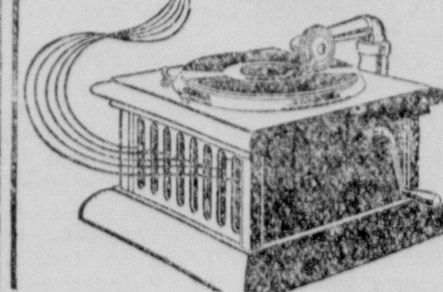
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